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By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.

Hongkong, 4th October, 1940.

HONG KONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be held in the Board Room, South China Morning Post, Ltd., on Thursday, 14th November, 1940 at 5.45 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st August, 1940, and of electing office bearers for the ensuing year, etc.



G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 18th day of November, 1940, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at To Kwa Wan, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Ann. Rent	Upset Price
No. 154	No. 154	To Kwa Wan	N. S. E. W.	feet feet feet feet	about 14,000	\$200
				as per sale plan.		\$12,250

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12.30 Rachmaninoff—Suite No. 2 for Two Pianos, Op. 17.

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Serenade (Arensky); Intermezzo (from Cavalleria Rusticana); Souvenir (Drdla).

1. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.30 Ring Crosby (Vocal) and Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Variety.

2.15 Close Down.

6 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

6.02 An Hour of Dance Music.

7 London Relay—The News.

7.15 London Relay—Questions of the Hour.

7.30 Billy Russell (Comedian) in "On Behalf of the Working Classes."

7.45 Musical Comedy Selections.

8 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 Orchestral.

Overture to a Picaresque Comedy (Arnold Bax); Sir Hamilton Harty conducting the London Philharmonic Orchestra.

8.12 Studio—Recital by Angelica Stone (Soprano) with E. O'Neill Shaw at the Piano.

1. Scene of Salika under the Man-caville Tree (from "L'Africaine"—Meyerbeer); Angelica Stone (Soprano) with Piano accompaniment.

2. Quondam Pleut (Poutshoff); E. O'Neill Shaw at the Piano; 3. (a) I Love Thee (Grieg); (b) The Three Comrades (Hermann); (c) La Rue (Grieg); Angelica Stone (Soprano) with Piano accompaniment.

8.35 Interlude.

8.45 Studio—Local Newsletter.

9 London Relay—The News and News Commentaries.

9.30 A Special Programme.

10 Variety Programme.

10.35 Dance Music by Joe Loss and His Orchestra.

11 Close Down.

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Young Soldier Passes On

The funeral of Signaller W. A. Taylor, of the Hongkong Signal Company, who died on Tuesday at the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, following a brief illness, took place at the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday. Full military honours were accorded.

Signaller Taylor, who was only 21 years old, had been stationed in Hongkong for three years. He was a member of the Signals water polo team. His home in England was in Kenilworth, Warwickshire.

The service was conducted by the Rev. S. Hinchliffe, Army Chaplain. The deceased's brother, Lance Corporal A. Taylor of the Hongkong Signal Company, was the chief mourner. Those present included Lieut. Col. E. Levett, the Chief Signal Officer, Major L. Hayes, Officer Commanding the Hongkong Signal Company, and other officers.

Mr. Jack Barnato Joel

London, Nov. 13.

The death occurred to-day of Mr. Jack Barnato Joel, financier and well known racehorse owner.

Born in 1862, Mr. Joel was a partner in Barnato Brothers and permanent Chairman of the Johannesburg Consolidated Investment Co. Ltd. and was on the Boards of many Rand gold mines. He was also largely interested in the Diamond Corporation Ltd. and De Beers Consolidated Mines. His wife, who died in 1937, was a daughter of Thomas Sopwith.

Mr. Joel had maintained a large breeding and racing stud.—Reuter.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

DONATIONS TO CHARITABLE AND OTHER CAUSES

A total of \$14,141.87 was received yesterday by the War Fund inaugurated by the S. C. M. Post, Ltd., with the following donations:

"N.S. in appreciation of the Cartoon in yesterday morning's paper"	\$ 25
Members of China Coast Officers & Marine Engineers Guilds of China (Monthly donation)	100
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Parcel Post Service to Canton is temporarily suspended.

The Imperial Airways Service by steamship to Hongkong and Bangkok is temporarily suspended. Air mail correspondence will be accepted at the existing rates of postage and will be forwarded by the first opportunity by steamer to Singapore, to connect with the east and west bound air services.

An air mail service providing a connection with British Overseas Airways at Rangoon will be available during the period of suspension of the Hongkong-Bangkok Service. The postage rates for all destinations will be \$1.50 per lb. for letters and \$0.75 each for postcards. Mail for this service should be superscribed "Via Rangoon" and bear the usual blue air mail label.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

INWARD MAILS

Java and Manila Nov. 14.
London and Straits Nov. 14.
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U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Seattle date, 9th October) Nov. 15.
Swatow Nov. 17.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service," San Francisco date, 12th November Nov. 18.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C. date, 2nd November) Nov. 21.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco date, 23rd October) Nov. 21.
Java and Manila Nov. 23.
London and Straits Nov. 23.
Australia and Manila Nov. 25.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 8th November) Nov. 28.

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Thursday, Nov. 14
Air Mail by Sea to Singapore to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

G.P.O. & K.F.O.
Reg. Nov. 14, 12.30 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 14, 12.30 p.m.
Straits and Rangoon 1.30 p.m.
Straits, Rangoon and Calcutta. 3.30 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 15
Manila, Macassar and Sourabaya. 8.30 a.m.

Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

G.P.O. & K.F.O.
Reg. Nov. 15, 4 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 15, 4.30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 16
Sandakan 7.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Honolulu G.P.O. & K.F.O.

Parcels Nov. 16, 4 p.m.
Reg. Nov. 16, 5 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 16, 5.30 p.m.
U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America, and United Kingdom via San Francisco. (No Parcels for Canada and United Kingdom).

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G.P.O. & K.F.O.
Parcels Nov. 16, 4 p.m.
Reg. Nov. 16, 5 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 16, 5.30 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 19
Sandakan 8.30 a.m.

Air Mail by Sea to Singapore to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

K.F.O.
Reg. Nov. 19, 10 a.m.
Ord. Nov. 19, 10.30 a.m.

Reg. Nov. 19, 10 a.m.
Ord. Nov. 19, 10.30 a.m.

Straits and Calcutta
Par. Nov. 19, 10.30 a.m.
Let. Nov. 19, 11.30 a.m.

Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A., and Europe via "Pan American Airways" and Transatlantic Service.

K.F.O.
Reg. Nov. 19, 5.00 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 19, 5.30 p.m.

Reg. Nov. 19, 5.00 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 19, 5.30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 21
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and South Africa 7 p.m.

Air Mail by Sea to Singapore to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

Kowloon P. O.
Reg. Nov. 21, 5.00 p.m.
Ord. Nov. 21, 5.30 p.m.

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Ord. Nov. 21, 5.30 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 22
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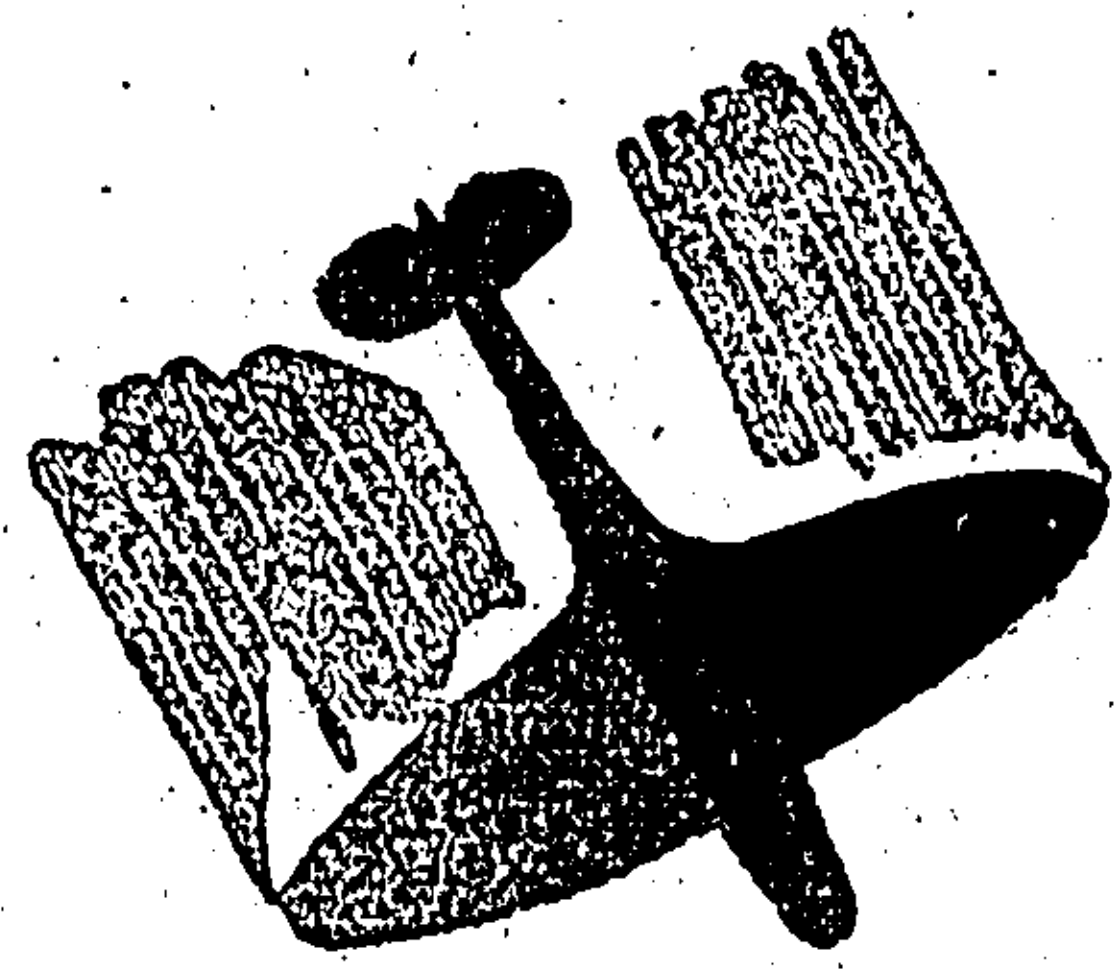
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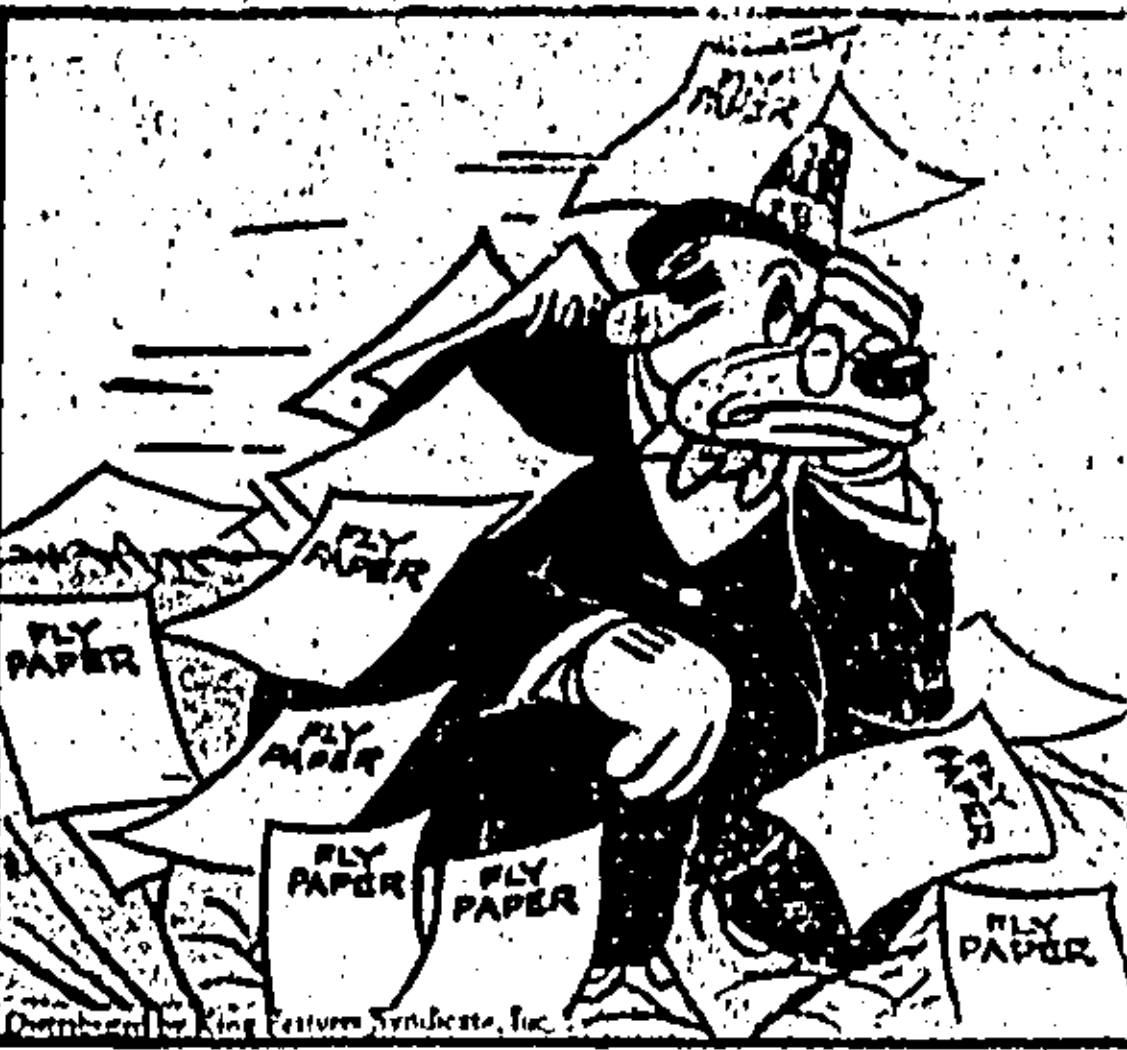
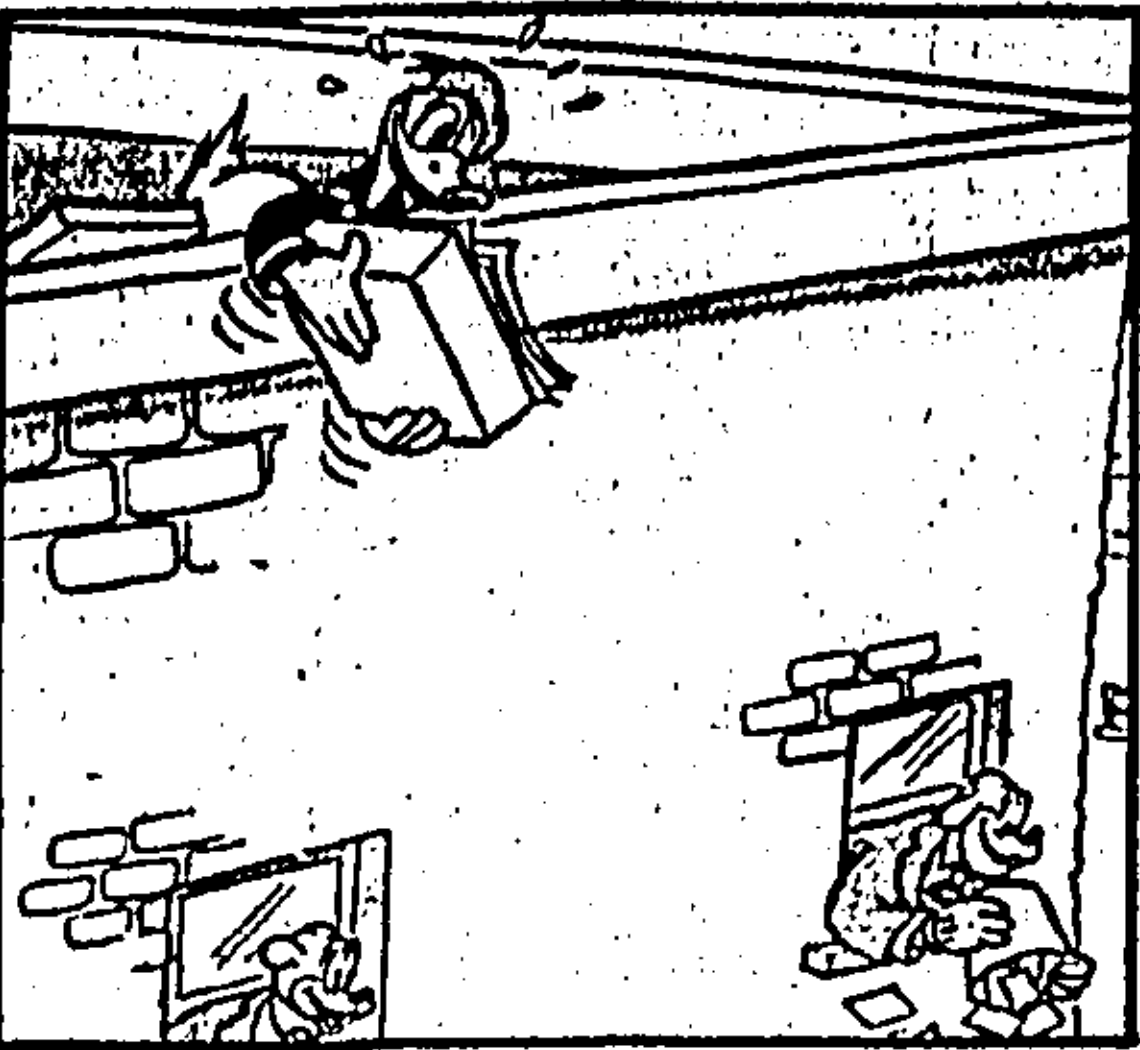
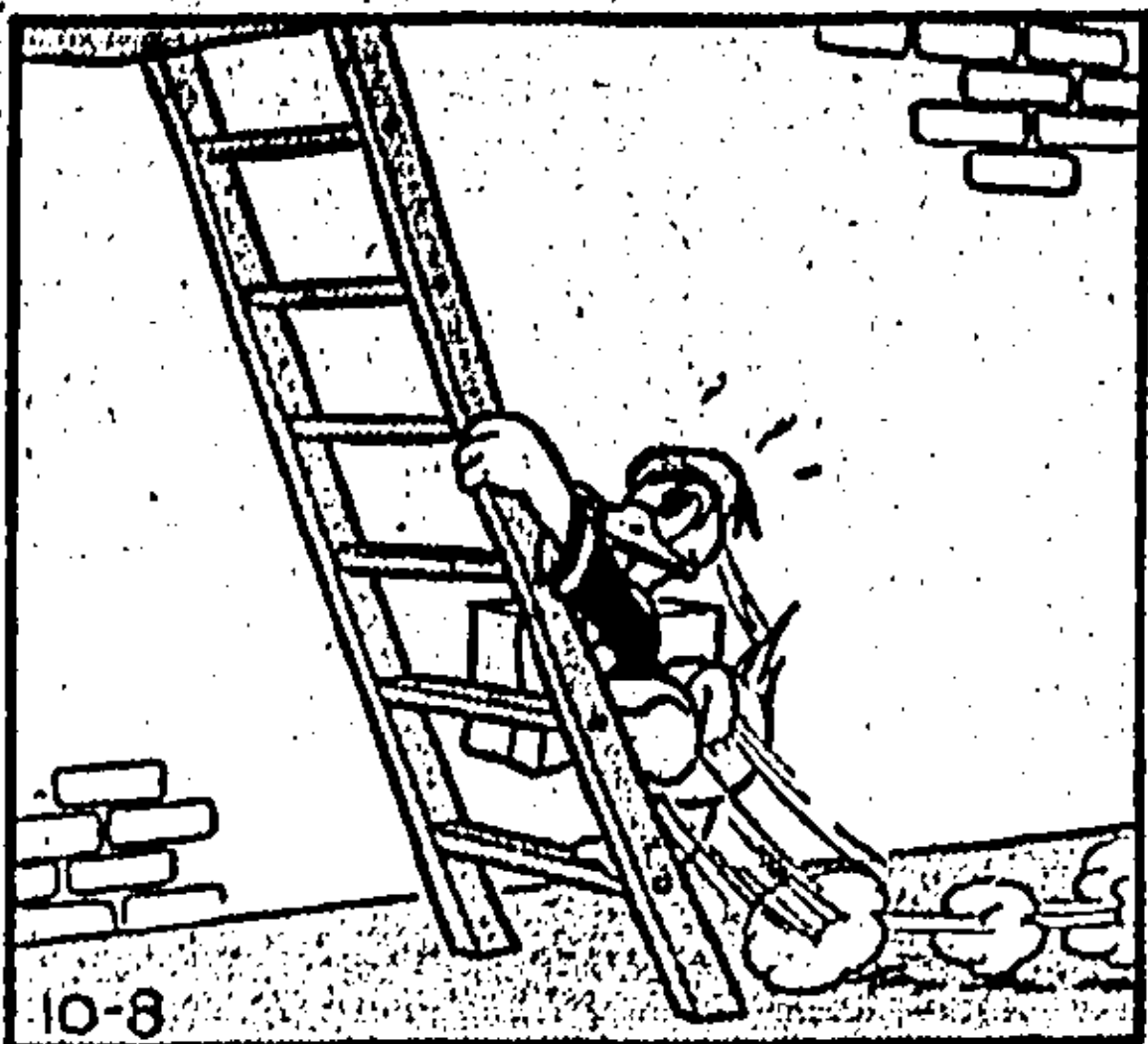
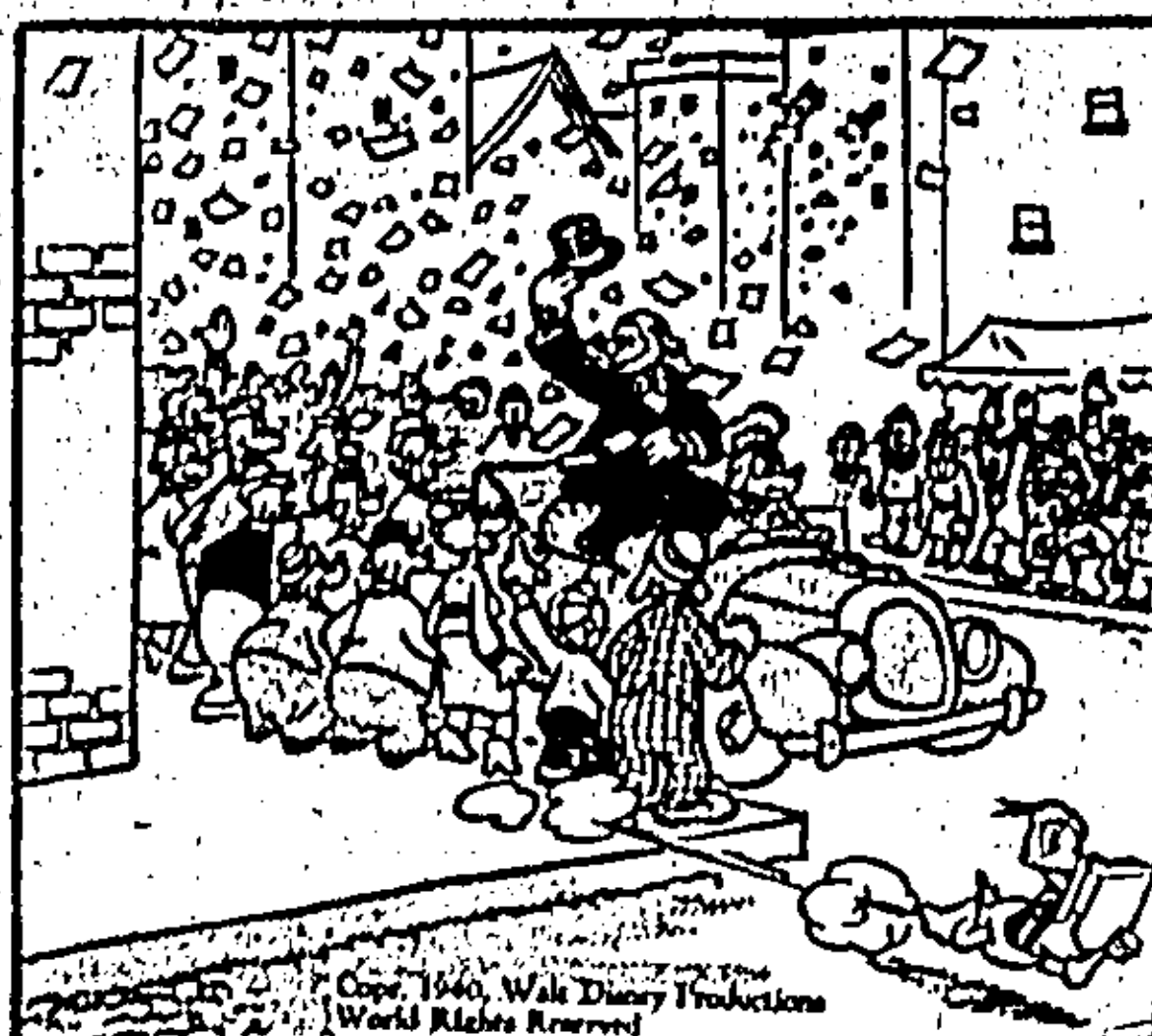
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MAGAZINE PAGE

H. V. MORTON on a Home Guard Patrol . .

"Enemy Airmen have landed"

IT was ten o'clock, and I was going to bed.

I had done all the things we do in 1940. I had listened to the nine o'clock news; I had relieved the car of its distributor arm; I had walked round the house looking for chinks in the black-out curtains; I had cast a morose eye at the stirrup pumps and at the buckets of sand and water.

Glancing up at the quiet sky, clear of cloud, I saw the gold flush of a rising moon, and I thought, "more raids to-night." Then I went indoors.

I was standing in my bedroom putting out my Home Guard uniform at the foot of the bed. I attached braces to the cheap, sharp brass buttons of the trousers, set out a pair of step-in boots, and loaded the six chambers of my revolver.

I wondered whether we were living in a penny dreadful or in some romantic period of the world's history on which future ages will glance back with envy and excitement.

Then I paused and listened as the rattle of a motor-cycle came down the lane. Instead of going on, the sound came up to the house and stopped.

I heard quick steps and a sharp rap on the door. Who could it be?

After nightfall we are locked away among dark woods and silence, and every sudden call is a mystery until the door is opened. Switching off the lights, I threw open a window and saw a young officer in a tin hat standing below.

"Can I see you for a moment, sir?" he asked. "Enemy airmen have landed near here."

NOW, I had been feeling tired and every day my age. I became suddenly wide-awake and full of energy. I flew into my denims and was downstairs facing a pink lieutenant, who treated me as if I were a centenarian; which was irritating, because I now felt no older than eighteen.

He explained that five, or perhaps seven, enemy airmen had been seen to bale out over the district as dusk was falling. Troops had blocked all roads. Could I, he asked apologetically, get my Home Guards to go across country to a certain place?

"Yes, I'll take them there myself," I replied eagerly.

"Oh, really, sir, that's most frightfully good of you," he said, like a schoolboy thanking an uncle for a ten-shilling note.

In a few moments dark figures were meeting under the big elm tree. It was bright enough for me to recognise little Harry, big Frank, George, Jack, and some of the other men who wear the Mons Star on their uniforms.

"Load," I said, "and put over your safety catches."

There was the crisp ker-lick of opened bolts, the tinkle of falling

LIFE IN 1940

clips, and the ker-lick of closed bolts. We then moved off in single file, stealing like shadows up the lane and across stubble fields, where we spread out in extended order.

It was a glorious night, a great moon lifting a serene face over a curved field, a moon not even mildly interested in Man.

Why have lovers, I wondered, always interpreted the moon's expression as one of sympathy? It is an expression of complete detachment. Neither love nor hate can interest the moon.

Hedges rose against the sky as if drawn in blackest ink. Stubble stretched away, white and brittle, and from it came a warm, sweet smell that has the end of summer in it.

Now and again we stopped to listen, moving on again with no sound but the soft swish of our boots among the corn stalks.

How lightly life is now poised on the needle's point, I thought, the ordinary and the incredible side by side, separated only by a split second.

A few moments ago I had been going to bed; now I was moving over moonlit fields, every sense alive, with a loaded revolver at my belt.

It was incredible, like something one had read long ago in "The Boy's Own Paper," preposterously juvenile, yet, at the same time, terribly real and tragic.

Stop! Harry comes up and whispers hoarsely: "Oughtn't we to beat Badger's Cope?"

"Right, Harry, you go in with Frank and we'll creep up and wait for you."

They melt into the wood in which they have ferreted, trapped and shot since they were small boys. We kneel like shadows at the dark edge.

Suppose the Germans came out now! What would happen? If they got caught they would get more than they expected; if they quietly surrendered—well, I suppose we should give them cigarettes and lead them home to a drink until the police came for them.

Funny, weird, ridiculous business to be going on by moonlight on the sand, sweet harvest fields of England.

And what would they feel like, I wondered, to fall from the skies into a quiet English home among women and little children upon whom, a few hours before, they were ready to drop their loads of death.

I suppose if airmen could see and know their victims, perhaps they would make a point of "falling to locate their objectives."

The two figures climbed out of the wood. Nothing there, they said. So we went on into the blackness of a hollow and out into a green wash of moonlight, where a cottage stood, dark, silent and asleep.

We searched the sheds. My torch revealed in turn a barrel, a pair of gum-boots, a bicycle and a pink-eyed ferret in a cage.

We went on over the ridge to Brown's Farm, where the dogs went mad. A window opened, and old Brown's voice asked what the blazes we were doing.

"It's you fellows, is it? Hello, Frank! Hello, Jack! Why for a minute I thought the Germans had come, and I was about to set the dogs on 'em, that I was."

"No, I ain't seen no Germans, nor has anybody else, I reckon. I was out with the tractor till dark, and no Germans came down this way, that I can swear to."

Still, we search the barns, the stables, the out-houses and the rick yards, and the wavering moons of our torches move over the picturesque disarray of farm implements, old hay-carts, chaff-cutters, and the like.

Harry and George climb upon a mound of hay and prod about in it; and, I am reminded of some story, read long ago, of Roundheads searching for Cavaliers.

It is a picture I shall never forget; the green light spilling down from roofs, the pitch-blackness of the barns and sheds, the old beams, the grey shadows of rats melting noiselessly away, and the figures of the patrol, in heroic silhouette, moving with rifles at the high port.

WE cover the last half mile slowly, creeping over the curved fields, watching the hedgerows, searching the copses; then below us we see the dark line of the road.

As we climb over a gate, a sharp voice cries "Halt!" and we walk up to be recognised by a sentry.

A brown lorry is drawn up in the hedge. The moonlight slides over bayonets. The troops are standing listlessly. A pink lieutenant "detaches" himself "from the shadows and comes forward."

"It's most frightfully good of you, sir, to have done this. I do hope you're not too tired."

Too tired, he hanged! I could go on like this all night.

"I'm afraid you're going to be most awfully sick with me, sir," he continues. "I've just had news to call in my men, because the Germans have been captured at Bogworthy Major."

Seven miles away! I suppose they were blown over in the dark. What bad luck! Still, never mind. We've done our stuff.

The combined local knowledge of farmer, poacher, and sportsman was pooled for a moment, in order to hunt the invader from a little bit of England.

As we wander back down the moonlit lanes, we talk of this and that.

"Well, if they had been hereabouts, we'd have had 'em sure enough," says Harry.

And we all agree, as we unload under the elm tree and go home to bed.

Women Steal Vegetables

Growing In Garden

Described as women of good position and education, Mrs. Gwendoline Walton, 39, her 16-year-old daughter, and Mrs. Violet Masters, aged 50, of Seaford Road, Westcliff, were fined £5 each at Southend for stealing growing onions, pears, and a marrow, worth 8s., from a garden.

They were said to have used a motor-car to take the goods away. The charge against the daughter was dismissed.

There are a large number of empty houses in the town," said Detective Inspector Harris, "and people are going into gardens stripping them of vegetables and fruit without making any inquiries regarding ownership."

The inspector said that the garden belonged to a special constable who occupied it, and after he had reported the theft, he was advised by the women's husbands.

FUNNY SIDE UP By Abner Dean



"For once your friend didn't soil my guest towels . . . but come look at my new curtains!"

Pilot Tells Of Kiel Raid

AN R.A.F. pilot who bombed Kiel naval dockyard from 800 feet described how he was trapped in a terrific anti-aircraft barrage.

The raiders caused heavy explosions, culminating in huge fires.

"We flew along at about 13,000 feet and then came round slightly east of the target," said a pilot.

"One searchlight picked us up, and then suddenly we seemed to be in the centre of the biggest collection of A.A. bursts and searchlights I have ever seen."

"They all came on at once—just as though somebody had pushed over a switch."

"From my height I could definitely make out the shape of the Mole."

"I decided to take the odd chance, and we went down in a dive to 800 feet."

"We got up a dickens of a speed."

"When we got down to about 8,000 they had about 15 searchlights on us."

"The heavy 'flak' (anti-aircraft fire) had been coming up all the time, and now the light 'flak' started."

"It just came straight up at us. I have never seen so much before."

"I thought we couldn't go back, having got so far, so we just carried on."

"I Was Blinded"

"Now and then I was able to catch a glimpse of the Mole in front of us."

"It was impossible to say for certain whether there was a ship there or not."

"I saw a long dark shape to the west of it that certainly looked like a ship."

"We just carried on diving. I gave the order to release the bombs at 800 feet."

"Then straight away we shot down to 100 feet over the Mole and just above the water."

"There seemed to be more searchlights than ever. At times I was blinded."

"It was impossible to see the results of the bombing."

"Suddenly in front of me, I saw a lot of trees coming up straight ahead."

"One of the searchlights, flattening out to try to catch us, had illuminated them, just in time for me to see them."

"I pulled the aircraft up, and we went over the top."

Away At Last

"The trouble was we didn't dare go up too high, because as soon as we did every gun in the place started opening up."

"We must have stayed over the town for about ten minutes, just charging backwards and forwards trying to get away."

"Practically all the time we were at about 100 feet."

"We went south, zig-zagging all the time."

"We got about 15 miles away, and then, although we were being shot at, we were able to gain height."

"As we went up we had to take violent evasive action all the time. Finally we got away."

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QUO VADIS, JAPAN?

THE thoughts of responsible people in the Far East are again centred on South China where events are reported to be happening which, if only some of them are true, portend new activities menacing the security and status quo of one or more of the national units in the South and China Seas.

It is not politic to put into blunt words what many people fear; it is not wise to guess at what may happen, because alarmists are undesirable and prophets are ill-informed. One may speculate endlessly on the reasons for the Japanese withdrawal from the strong, if economically unjustified garrisons they held in Kwangsi and Kwangtung, and the subsequent concentration of their troops in Hainan.

Japan appears to have found it profitable to follow Hitlerian methods in undermining the sovereignty of Indo-China. What was accomplished so easily in that case will certainly tempt them to try again elsewhere. There is little to gain in China at the present time and by retaining Canton and the Pearl River, the invader is keeping open the door for re-entry when the time is appropriate. Besides, the Japanese navy can always smash up Chinese coastal and riparian units and land heavy forces because of its undisputed control of the sea.

What better opportunity then presents itself for another coup in the south? Thailand is weak and, since the Japanese penetration of Indo-China, Thailand is doubly vulnerable. The Dutch East Indies are well garrisoned and protected by a small fleet. But could they successfully resist a strong attack backed up by naval aircraft, battleships and submarines? Once inside the country, the Japanese would find thousands of their own citizens, in addition to thousands of able-bodied Germans now interned, to help in keeping in action the productive and administrative machinery with which, no doubt, they are familiar.

"It is to be hoped that Japan plans no such grab. Indeed there are good reasons why she should not incur enmity in her attempt to seek the oil, rubber and other goods which

Day by day the Germans are plundering the countries they have enslaved. They make no bones about it. It is unfitting, Dr. Ley has declared, that Poles should presume to have the same standards of life as the Germans. The standard of living of the Dutch must be lowered, writes the *Deutsche Volkswirt*, if the conquered country is to supply Germany with food. We, Germans, says the *Volkischer Beobachter* in the true Goebbels style, have as much interest in the French harvest as the French themselves. The economic system of Europe must be organised, says Dr. Funk, to guarantee to the German people the highest possible standard of well-being.

Everywhere the purpose is the same, to turn the enslaved peoples into helots in the service of the German *Herrenvolk*, the lordly ones, the master bullies. The promised golden age is one in which all other nations will be placidly agricultural, hewers of wood and drawers of water for the Nordic engineers, mechanised warriors and men of science. That is for the future. But for the moment there is no pretence at laying the foundations even for that cheerless future. The Germans' chief concern so far has been to plunder and to stock their own granaries at the expense of their oppressed peoples.

In every country which they have over-run they have commandeered outright nearly all the food reserves and have ordered the slaughtering of much of the livestock. During this week alone, September 16 to 22, Germany is taking over 17,000 sheep from Denmark, 15,000 for immediate slaughter, 2,000 for grazing. Over 11,000 head of cattle are

the Dutch East Indies produce, because it would be impossible to protect the Dutch East Indies from Japan, or to leave adequate protection there without weakening Japan, if strong naval forces took offensive action against communications between the two countries.

Reports from Tokyo do not convey the impression that the recent onrush of nationalistic spirit has survived its first impulse. No brilliant diplomatic moves (unless the subjugation of Indo-China is counted) have resulted from the galaxy of talent that Mr. Matsukata was to raise to office. It would seem that there is now some confusion of objects and reasons in Japanese policy; military "achievement" has given it no new leads; Chungking is spiritually stronger and materially unimpaired.

Quo vadis, Japan? In pursuing Chinese and Communists she is valiantly groping in the dark, by throwing down her arms and getting back to her fields and factories and ships she would invite and receive profitable trade with customers in a position to offer all she needs; by following the path of good sense and humanity she would light fires again in deserted and poverty-stricken households in her own country and give her hard-pressed people something more to live for than destruction and self-

RUTHLESS NAZI PLUNDERING IN OCCUPIED COUNTRIES

due to war and occupation. All that is behind the new money is a bundle of German bonds (which in normal times the Central Banks would not have touched with a barge-pole) or German promises to honour the issue in the day of victory. It is sheer inflation.

Nor is that all. The deception is greater. In all the oppressed countries the Reichsmark is over-valued; more goods can be bought with it than it is worth. Recently decrees have aggravated the disproportion by pushing down the value of the local currency, while at the same time prohibiting any compensatory rise in prices. A German concern, using doubly or trebly over-valued marks, can therefore purchase goods for a mere song and shares in local industries for a trifle.

The result in the unfortunate countries concerned is that even the little which seems fairly good is deceptive. The whole economy is on thin ice. A crack or a thaw and the whole thing collapses. Meanwhile Dr. Schacht and Dr. Funk hope that by filling Germany with goods they will put off the day of uncontrolled inflation at home.

The German can manipulate money and credit. They cannot manipulate food. There are no fake *Scheine* to take the place of the supplies they have taken out of the oppressed countries. Proof of the lack already developing is seen in the comparative rations for the Germans and for the people under their control.

The ration cards do not tell all the story; for many of the oppressed people find that they cannot buy even the amounts to which they are limited. What the ration cards show is that the Germans are deliberately under-feeding the people whom they declare are under their protection. In almost every commodity the amount of food is less outside the Reich than inside. In some instances those "protected" are given less than half of what is allowed to the Germans.

Wherever the German oppression is examined it is found to be based on ruthlessness, cynical exploitation, deceit.

NEW TYPE OF AIRSCREW

The most advanced form of aeroplane propeller is a new electrically-operated type introduced by Rotol Airscrews, a joint producing firm with which Rolls Royce and the Bristol Aeroplane Co. co-operate.

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Pilot's Easier Task

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What often happens in these pre-war days that encouraged Dr. Schacht and Dr. Funk in their present system of "trading" in the countries now under German control. In the pre-war days the Reich received great imports from the Central European and Balkan countries, and, instead of paying for all of them, let the debt run up in the clearing account. Sometimes a country would become recalcitrant; its Government would point to the German debt owing to them and threatened to send no more goods until it was reduced. But generally there was no trouble. The country had the German promise to pay and had to be content with that.

For the people in the oppressed countries there is now no possibility of protest. The German debt, the promise to pay, can run up endlessly. The Germans accordingly let them run up. They take goods from Holland, Denmark, Belgium, Norway, and France, and in return give German bonds, or paper money in the local currency based on German bonds. Their promises give the transaction a legalistic form, but it is no more than a confidence-trick.

At the moment its effects are disguised. Shopkeepers and industrialists in the oppressed countries sell goods to Germans on demand, and in return they receive either paper money in their own currency or else *Reichskreditkassenscheine* (Reich credit office vouchers), which they can pass through their own Central Bank, and in return are given money in their own currency. The seller is left believing that he has not done so badly. True, he is short of food and consumers' goods like all the rest of his countrymen, but he has money for his wallet and can buy whatever is going.

What he as yet only dimly realises is that the money is in a substantial and inflationary. In sales, forced prices. Sometimes there is a show of bartering. The Germans always speak genially of their bartering system as though it recaptured the simplicity and the brotherly spirit of the days when Solomon and measures of pure oil to Hiram, King of Tyre, who returned him cedar trees and fir trees, according to his desire.

The story is often told of how Blucher, fresh from Waterloo, looked at London from the dome of St. Paul's. "Was fur Plunder!" he was heard to mutter under his breath. What a city to plunder—the Germans of to-day say it aloud as they gaze round their oppressed countries. Their manner of getting what they want varies from place to place. In Bohemia and in Poland in the first days they used the methods of loot pure and simple. Wheat and other food were piled high on wagons and driven away. Elsewhere they have used forced labour, forced sales, forced prices. Sometimes there is a show of bartering. The Germans always speak genially of their bartering system as though it recaptured the simplicity and the brotherly spirit of the days when Solomon and measures of pure oil to Hiram, King of Tyre, who returned him cedar trees and fir trees, according to his desire.

THE RATIONING TABLE

The following table shows the disparity between German rations and those of the enslaved peoples, figures being given in ounces per week:

	Bread	Meat	Sugar	Fats	Coffee
Germany	44	17 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	2 1/2 (substitute)
Poland	35	9	5	5	1 1/2
France	35	9	5	5	1 1/2
Denmark	35	9	5	5	1 1/2
Norway	35	9	5	5	1 1/2
Netherlands	35	9	5	5	1 1/2
Belgium	35	9	5	5	1 1/2

Supplies usually not equal to official rations.

A. R. P. ORDERS

Latest Appointments And Promotions

A.R.P. Orders issued by Wing Commander A. H. S. Steele-Perkins, O.B.E., Director of Air Raid Precautions, Uniforms—Upon promotion of a Warden to Officers rank the Warden's uniform and badge must be sent to Headquarters. In the event of a Warden resigning, Divisional Warden must see that uniform, badge, and identity disc are likewise returned.

A.R.P. Divisions—District "E" South Hill, has been transferred to Central Division, and will in future be known as District "G," Central Division.

Strength-Decrease—The following resignations are accepted as from October 23, 1940: Leung Chek-huen, Kowloon City—2040 P. A. Dargan and 2053 W. A. Young.

Upper Levels—450 Wai Kam-po, Central—411 Ngo Ping-pui on leaving the Colony.

Leave of Absence—Group Warden L. E. E. (701) is granted 2 months leave of absence on private affairs from November 13, 1940.

Transfer—The following transfers are notified: 174 Leung Chuen-bun, Mongkok, to Central.

Wardens 1502 D. O. Baldwin, 1504 P. C. Mansfield, 438 H. R. Sturt, Gough Hill to Central.

Change of Address—3147 Shum Shung-hong, Kowloon City, 1009 to 61 Kowloon St., 2nd floor, S. S. To.

House Warden—2020 Cheung Kai-yu to House Warden, Lai-chuk Hospital, 1425 Michel St. to be House Warden, Alexandra Building.

Promotions—The following promotions are notified with effect from November 13, 1941: Paul Chak.

Central—To be Group Warden—202 Fung Wai-choi, 223 Lai Hang-man, 214 Au Kwong-ling, 213 Chan Tung-hon, 303 Ma Wing-kie.

To be Deputy Group Warden—Ho Tack-kie, 219 Wong Ling-po, 203 Fung Shing, 202 Fung Shing, 201 Fung Shing, 200 Fung Shing, 199 Fung Shing, 198 Fung Shing, 197 Fung Shing, 196 Fung Shing, 195 Fung Shing, 194 Fung Shing, 193 Fung Shing, 192 Fung Shing, 191 Fung Shing, 190 Fung Shing, 189 Fung Shing, 188 Fung Shing, 187 Fung Shing, 186 Fung Shing, 185 Fung Shing, 184 Fung Shing, 183 Fung Shing, 182 Fung Shing, 181 Fung Shing, 180 Fung Shing, 179 Fung Shing, 178 Fung Shing, 177 Fung Shing, 176 Fung Shing, 175 Fung Shing, 174 Fung Shing, 173 Fung Shing, 172 Fung Shing, 171 Fung Shing, 170 Fung Shing, 169 Fung Shing, 168 Fung Shing, 167 Fung Shing, 166 Fung Shing, 165 Fung Shing, 164 Fung Shing, 163 Fung Shing, 162 Fung Shing, 161 Fung Shing, 160 Fung Shing, 159 Fung Shing, 158 Fung Shing, 157 Fung Shing, 156 Fung Shing, 155 Fung Shing, 154 Fung Shing, 153 Fung Shing, 152 Fung Shing, 151 Fung Shing, 150 Fung Shing, 149 Fung Shing, 148 Fung Shing, 147 Fung Shing, 146 Fung Shing, 145 Fung Shing, 144 Fung Shing, 143 Fung Shing, 142 Fung Shing, 141 Fung Shing, 140 Fung Shing, 139 Fung Shing, 138 Fung Shing, 137 Fung Shing, 136 Fung Shing, 135 Fung Shing, 134 Fung Shing, 133 Fung Shing, 132 Fung Shing, 131 Fung Shing, 130 Fung Shing, 129 Fung Shing, 128 Fung Shing, 127 Fung Shing, 126 Fung Shing, 125 Fung Shing, 124 Fung Shing, 123 Fung Shing, 122 Fung Shing, 121 Fung Shing, 120 Fung Shing, 119 Fung Shing, 118 Fung Shing, 117 Fung Shing, 116 Fung Shing, 115 Fung Shing, 114 Fung Shing, 113 Fung Shing, 112 Fung Shing, 111 Fung Shing, 110 Fung Shing, 109 Fung Shing, 108 Fung Shing, 107 Fung Shing, 106 Fung Shing, 105 Fung Shing, 104 Fung Shing, 103 Fung Shing, 102 Fung Shing, 101 Fung Shing, 100 Fung Shing, 99 Fung Shing, 98 Fung Shing, 97 Fung Shing, 96 Fung Shing, 95 Fung Shing, 94 Fung Shing, 93 Fung Shing, 92 Fung Shing, 91 Fung Shing, 90 Fung Shing, 89 Fung Shing, 88 Fung Shing, 87 Fung Shing, 86 Fung Shing, 85 Fung Shing, 84 Fung Shing, 83 Fung Shing, 82 Fung Shing, 81 Fung Shing, 80 Fung Shing, 79 Fung Shing, 78 Fung Shing, 77 Fung Shing, 76 Fung Shing, 75 Fung Shing, 74 Fung Shing, 73 Fung Shing, 72 Fung Shing, 71 Fung Shing, 70 Fung Shing, 69 Fung Shing, 68 Fung Shing, 67 Fung Shing, 66 Fung Shing, 65 Fung Shing, 64 Fung Shing, 63 Fung Shing, 62 Fung Shing, 61 Fung Shing, 60 Fung Shing, 59 Fung Shing, 58 Fung Shing, 57 Fung Shing, 56 Fung Shing, 55 Fung Shing, 54 Fung Shing, 53 Fung Shing, 52 Fung Shing, 51 Fung Shing, 50 Fung Shing, 49 Fung Shing, 48 Fung Shing, 47 Fung Shing, 46 Fung Shing, 45 Fung Shing, 44 Fung Shing, 43 Fung Shing, 42 Fung Shing, 41 Fung Shing, 40 Fung Shing, 39 Fung Shing, 38 Fung Shing, 37 Fung Shing, 36 Fung Shing, 35 Fung Shing, 34 Fung Shing, 33 Fung Shing, 32 Fung Shing, 31 Fung Shing, 30 Fung Shing, 29 Fung Shing, 28 Fung Shing, 27 Fung Shing, 26 Fung Shing, 25 Fung Shing, 24 Fung Shing, 23 Fung Shing, 22 Fung Shing, 21 Fung Shing, 20 Fung Shing, 19 Fung Shing, 18 Fung Shing, 17 Fung Shing, 16 Fung Shing, 15 Fung Shing, 14 Fung Shing, 13 Fung Shing, 12 Fung Shing, 11 Fung Shing, 10 Fung Shing, 9 Fung Shing, 8 Fung Shing, 7 Fung Shing, 6 Fung Shing, 5 Fung Shing, 4 Fung Shing, 3 Fung Shing, 2 Fung Shing, 1 Fung Shing.

Hindhead Wins Shanghai Champions

SHANGHAI, Nov. 13 (UP)—Coming up with a terrific finish in front of the stands and leaving the spectators gasping, Charlie Encarnacao, veteran Portuguese jockey, piloted Hindhead to a glorious victory in the Shanghai Champions to-day, beating Clunie House by three lengths with Northwood four lengths further back.

The winner and third horse are owned by Mr. A. S. Henchman, manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and Clunie House by Mr. R. G. Attenhead. Alex Striker, former Hongkong rider, was aboard Clunie House and A. S. Clark handled Northwood.

The time, 2:35, was good considering the ponies ran into a terrific wind coming down the straight.

TERRIFIC SPRINT

After the half mile mark Clunie House started to come up and went into the lead round the stretch with Magic Circle, ridden by "Peanut" Marshall, coming steadily behind. Northwood also appeared as if he were coming through as the ponies entered the straight with Clunie House well ahead, but Hindhead uncorked a terrific burst of speed and rushed through on the outside, leaving Clunie House standing. Despite the strong cold wind the course was drenched with sunlight and at least 10,000 people packed the stands, betting heavily, especially on the Champions.

The North China Daily News was the only newspaper to pick Hindhead, the others preferring Clunie House. Hindhead paid \$24.00 for a win and \$7.00 for a place, Clunie House \$6.00 and Northwood \$1.00.

Fractional times were—First quarter 30 sec., second 62, third 1:33, fourth 2:44, fifth 2:55.

Sweep prizes were—First (\$100,000) 44932, Second (\$50,000) 50728, Third (\$20,000) 53331.

U.S. DEFENCES WELL AHEAD

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The United States national defence programme is a "full year ahead of schedule." Colonel Frank Knox, Secretary of the Navy, told reporters this after inspecting the navy yard at Boston to-day.

Colonel Knox added: "In 1941 we should be getting 28 new ships, including two battlehips and one aircraft carrier."

Norwegian "Go Slow" Drive

Passive Resistance—BASLE, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—A movement is growing among officials in Norway to demonstrate disrespect for their new masters, according to the Stockholm correspondents of newspapers.

The "National Zeitung" reports that all officials of the administrative district of Brandt were dismissed for "go slow" conduct and that the administration of the district has been completely dislocated.

Similar disobedience is reported from many other parts of Norway.

Bremen Denial

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—A Berlin report from America that the German liner Bremen is sunk, is denied by the official German news agency.

CHARITY WORKER NEARLY FAILS IN ORGANISING APPEAL

At an examination held recently the following qualified as Warden but are not available for A.R.P. service: Miss Mak Hung-yan, Chan King-leung, Miss Yung Kin-wun, Miss Ho Yim-wa, A. I. I. Miss Yue Kuen-leung.

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Secession Of Nazis From Civilisation

Amery On New Barbarism

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—"We are fighting against secession, as Nazidom is, in effect, a war of secession from European civilisation," said Mr. L. M. S. Amery, Secretary for India, speaking at a National Defence of Public Interests Committee luncheon to-day. Lord Nathan presided.

Mr. Amery said that the culture and ideals given by Greece, Rome, Christianity and the Middle Ages were all directly challenged by the new barbarism.

"It is because the issues go so deep, because this total war is not in methods only but between irreconcilable principles which are contending for victory, that no compromise is possible," he added.

Referring to the failure of German air attacks on Britain, Mr. Amery said that he hardly realised that from day to day young British airmen had won one of the world's historic battles—a battle which, he thought, would figure in this war as the Battle of the Marne.

Mr. Amery described Mussolini as the victim of an illusion that he was destined to restore the greatness of ancient Rome, "but he forgets that Rome grew not by calculated aggression but largely by sheer force of character and circumstances. He has also forgotten that even before ancient Rome there was ancient Greece and that the spirit of ancient Greece still lives in Greece to-day."

Mr. Amery was loudly cheered when he referred to the British success against the Italian Fleet. "It is something to go on with," said Mr. Amery. "Wars are won by daring."

Crossword Puzzle

By LAES MORRIS

ACROSS
1—Small worm
2—Trading place
3—Wading bird
4—Medicinal plant
5—Plant embryo
6—Go (French)
7—Killed
8—Adapted
9—Young goats
10—Concealing
11—English queen
12—Zodiacal place
13—Wit of execution
14—Permit
15—American coin
16—Small globe
17—Chinese god
18—Pride
19—Turned closely
20—European range
21—Turned one way
22—Philippine Malay
23—On summit of
24—Strong man of Turkey
25—Dustie

DOWN
1—Bottom of foot (pl.)
2—Near
3—Feeling of horse
4—Shanty
5—Drove out
6—Otherwise
7—Wanderer
8—Drove out
9—Small
10—Jittery wretch
11—Painful
12—Join closely
13—Mountain lion
14—Old
15—Looks over
16—Dirt
17—Put together
18—Draw in dots
19—Arranges
20—Painful
21—Consumed
22—Shake
23—Swedish manual
24—Pile
25—At suit of (abbr.)
26—Girl's name
27—Girl's name
28—Doctor's name
29—Butler: one who
30—Printer's measure

Mr. Chamberlain's Remains Cremated

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The remains of Mr. Neville Chamberlain were privately cremated in London to-day.

There was no service or ceremony and only two members of his household were present.

Arrangements for the funeral service are not yet announced.

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Police Reserve Inspected

Importance of Discipline

The importance of discipline was stressed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Lieut.-General E. F. Norton, yesterday, when he inspected the Police Reserve in the compound of the Central Police Station.

His Excellency was accompanied by his A.D.C., Capt. S. H. Batty Smith, and among those present were Major C. Champkin (former Commandant of the Police Reserve), Dr. S. W. To, Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan, Mr. Lee Sing-kui, Mr. Fung Heung-chuen, Mr. Ng Wah, Mr. Abbas Khan and Dr. H. el Arcuill.

About 500 Reservists took part in the parade under the command of Mr. O. Eager, Deputy Commissioner of Police (Reserve), and in the words of His Excellency, they made a very fine show.

On arrival, His Excellency was met by the Hon. Mr. C. G. Perdue, Commissioner of Police, and after a brief conversation, proceeded to carry out the inspection, accompanied by Mr. Perdue, Mr. Eager, Capt. Batty Smith, Mr. K. A. Blidmead and Mr. To.

After the inspection, His Excellency presented the Commended Service Bar to the following:

Constable R70 Lo Tak-hoi, Constable R57 Wong Man-ying, Constable R44 Wai Hin-shing (Chinese Company); Sergeant R214 Channan Singh, Sergeant R269 Imam Din, Lance-Sergeant R220 Lum Din (Indian Company); Lance Sergeant R421 J. Van der Lely and Lance Sergeant R444 V. E. Dorabjee (Emergency Unit Reserve).

With the exception of Sergeant Imam Din, all the awards were for services rendered over an extended period. The award to Sergeant Lum Din was for zeal and alertness in the recapture of an escaped prisoner on January 29 last.

Addressing the gathering, General Norton said that about a year ago, when His Excellency Sir Geoffrey Northcote inspected the Police Reserve, the number was about 315. Shortly after that the decision was made to increase the number to 450 and in July this year the figure was again raised, to 1,002.

"Recently," His Excellency continued, "I decided to raise the number again, to 1,502. I hope that that fact proves to you the value of the Police Reserve and the confidence in which they are held. The present strength is about 932, so there are about 570 more to be raised, and I hope with confidence that volunteers of the same fine type as you are, will soon come forward."

His Excellency then urged the Reservists to do everything in their power to find time for their training and normal duties, and continued:

"I want to take this opportunity of thanking members of the Chinese and Indian communities who, financially and morally, lent their support to the Police Reserve organization."

"During last year, about 100 Reservists did duty regularly at night, and during last July a large number was called out for both day and night duty. During the recent black-out, the whole of the Police Reserve were called out to perform their duties regularly every night."

"I want to congratulate you on the fine turn-out that I have seen this afternoon. You made a very fine show on parade."

Discipline Excellent

"I am informed by the Commissioner of Police that your discipline has been excellent, and I am glad that it is so. I just want to say a word or two about this question. I have seen Police called upon to do some very difficult duties in my time. I remember particularly the General Strike in England in 1926. On that occasion—as indeed on all occasions—it was proved again, and again that a dozen of disciplined men could control an undisciplined mob of a thousand. This was done in two ways. The first was by discipline—a very small number of disciplined men can do almost anything against a large number of undisciplined men. The other and more important factor is that the Police know they have behind them the whole weight of public opinion. This is very important to the Police in their difficult duties, but the public must know of their discipline and appreciate it. They have also to know that they are trustworthy, and of their general behaviour and smart demeanour. So, when I inspected you this afternoon I looked for these things particularly, and I have not been disappointed."

"I rely on you to carry public opinion behind you in the way I have described—by maintaining a fine reputation for smartness and the fine record of discipline which you have achieved since you were raised."

SUDAN INVASION THWARTED

Stores Shelled

LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Military authorities here to-day announced that, following the British recapture of Gallabat, the Italian camp at Metemma, which is one or two miles away and whither the Italians withdrew, is being shelled by British artillery.

The reports state that munitions and stores assembled at the camp in preparation for an invasion of the Sudan are aflame.

Netherlands Oil For Japan

Annual Supply Assured

BATAVIA, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The Netherlands Oil Company will henceforth be supplying Japan with over 1,800,000 tons of oil and oil products annually.

The recently-initiated agreement provides that Japanese importers purchase crude oil at the rate of 700,000 tons annually and oil products at the rate of 540,000 tons.

This will be in addition to about 400,000 tons of various oil products regularly shipped by oil companies here.

NO NEW BASES

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Mr. Sumner Welles, Under-Secretary of State, said that the United States has not acquired, and does not intend to acquire, military bases from any of the Latin-American Republics.

He indicated that the United States might accept invitations to share the use of bases which the Latin-American nations might build themselves.

EVACUATION COMMITTEE

Members of the Committee elected at the public meeting last Friday, to consider problems affecting evacuees from the Colony, met at the Peninsula Hotel yesterday, and will probably be issuing a communique to the Press to-day.

The Committee consists of the Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, Chairman; Mr. F. C. Clemen, Secretary (ex-officio), Messrs. F. F. Duckworth, J. F. Galvin, A. C. Jeffreys, J. F. Macgregor, S. Simpson, C. E. Terry, and Rev. J. R. Higgs.

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Hitler & Molotov In Parley

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principal objective in inviting M. Molotov to Berlin.

The Wilhelmstrasse statement refers to the primary need of fixing the basis of Soviet collaboration not merely with the Axis but with Japan. In other words, having secured Japan's participation in the tripartite agreement designed to counter any move by the United States, Germany is now trying to associate the Soviets with the pact.

It is unlikely, however, that the Soviets will fall in with Hitler's plans so far as to commit herself to any specific course as the war develops. That the talks may result in improved relations between the Soviets and Japan is by no means improbable. Neither country wishes to be drawn into war and there are abundant questions in which their interests run parallel.

Sino-Japanese War

Although it is not easy to see any common ground regarding the situation in China, some form of compromise on that subject is easier to envisage than commitments by the Soviets in Europe, other than economic commitments.

It will be recalled that Germany tried to trace the new Polish frontier further westward so as to give Russia a bigger slice of Poland, but Moscow was satisfied with territories where the inhabitants are most Russian. Therefore, it is unlikely that Stalin will now be tempted to a policy of adventure.

As for economic talks, it is only necessary to recall the unfulfilled hopes Germany built upon last year's agreement with the Soviets, to realise the gulf between promise and performance in the supply of Russian materials.

It is probable, however, that M. Molotov will agree to the admission of German experts to help overcome the delays inherent in the Russian economic system.

The smashing British victory over the Italian Fleet at Taranto will doubtless weigh heavily in the scales of the Axis deliberations.

6 MORE CONVOY SHIPS SAFE

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four of the ships which the German surface raider sank in the Atlantic arrived here to-day.

They were found drifting in life-boats some 36 hours after the ships sank. Most of them were sparsely clad and said that they had had a "wretched time" in the heavy weather which the life-boats encountered.

LEICHTENSTEIN BLACK-OUT

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The last country in Central Europe still lighting up at night will enforce a black-out in future, says the Swiss radio.

It is the small principality of Liechtenstein, wedged between Switzerland and Austria. It has an area of only 65 square miles.

STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—On the Stock Exchange, industrials attracted main attention and good business was done at higher levels. Kaffirs on the whole made a good showing, rubber shares were in favour and home rails advanced on good enquiry.

Most foreign bonds were firm, especially Brazilian issues.

Wall Street was irregular.

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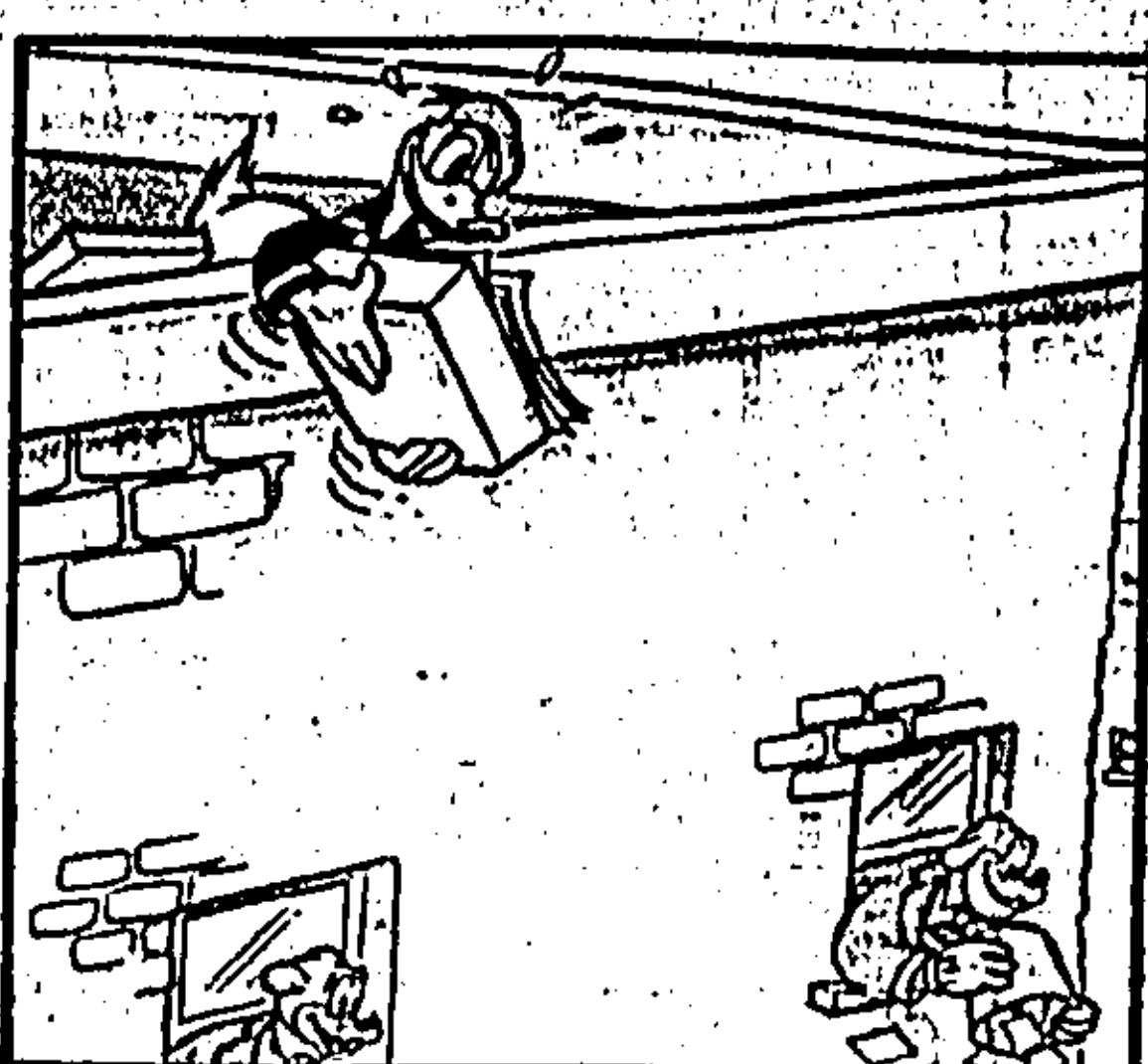
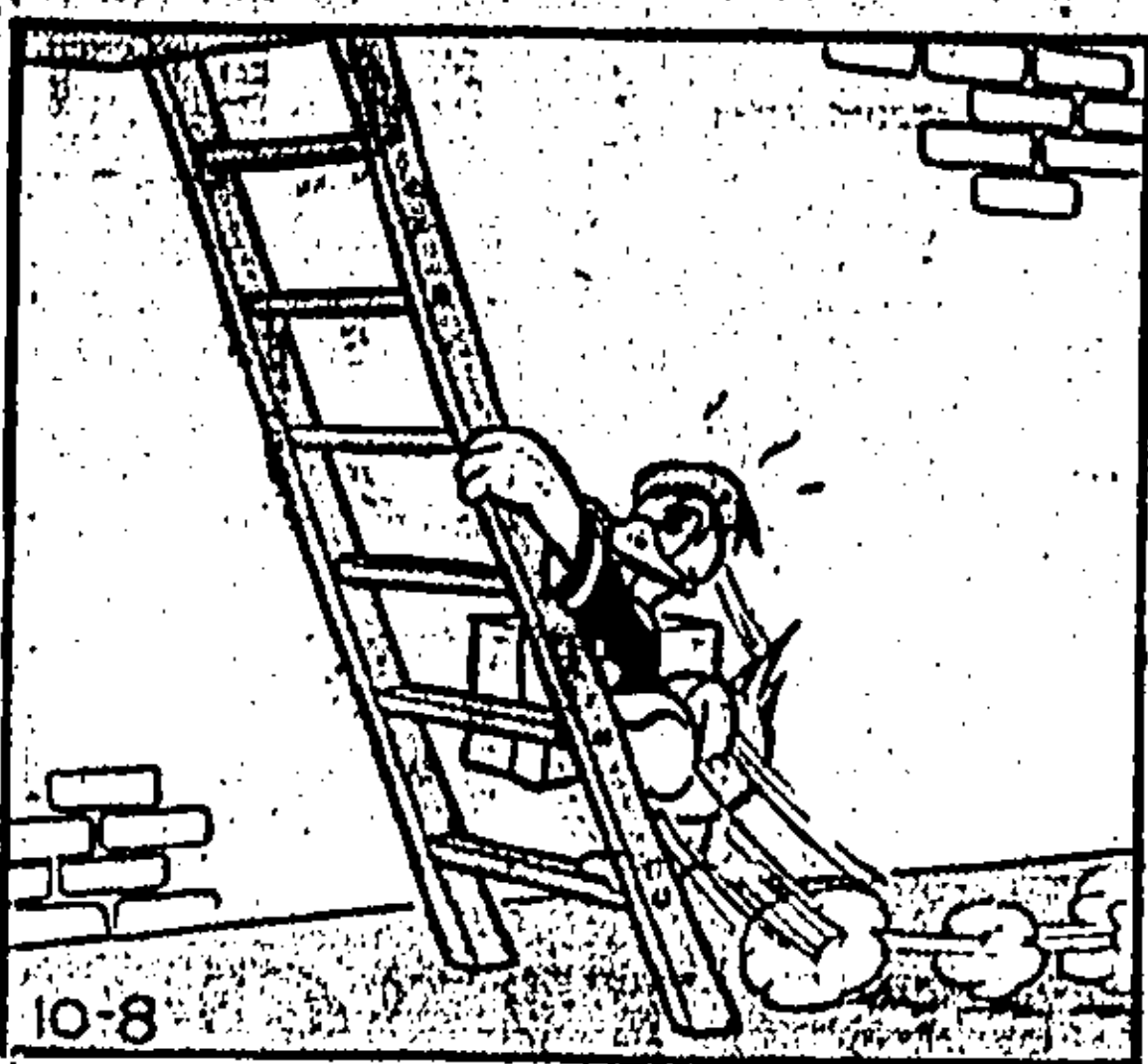
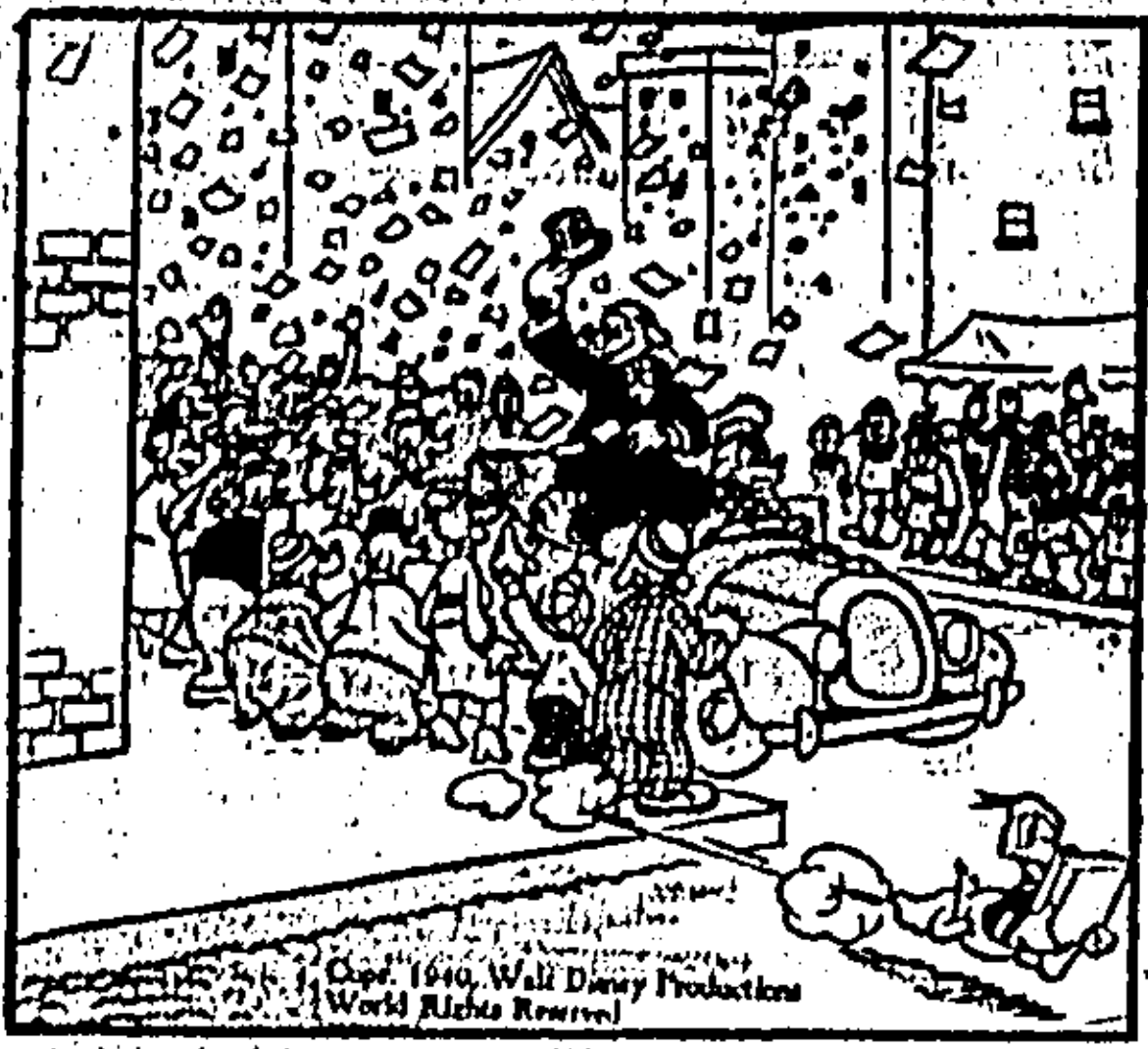
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MAGAZINE PAGE

H. V. MORTON on a Home Guard Patrol . .

"Enemy Airmen have landed"

IT was ten o'clock, and I was going to bed.

I had done all the things we do in 1940. I had listened to the nine o'clock news; I had relieved the car of its distributor arm; I had walked round the house looking for chinks in the black-out curtains; I had cast a morose eye at the stirrup pumps and at the buckets of sand and water.

Glancing up at the quiet sky, clear of cloud, I saw the gold flush of a rising moon, and I thought, "more raids to-night." Then I went indoors.

I was standing in my bedroom putting out my Home Guard uniform at the foot of the bed. I attached braces to the cheap, sharp brass buttons of the trousers, set out a pair of step-in boots, and loaded the six chambers of my revolver.

I wondered whether we were living in a penny dreadful or in some romantic period of the world's history on which future ages will glance back with envy and excitement.

Then I paused and listened as the rattle of a motor-cycle came down the lane. Instead of going on, the sound came up to the house and stopped.

I heard quick steps and a sharp rap on the door. Who could it be?

After nightfall we are locked away among dark woods and silence, and every sudden call is a mystery until the door is opened. Switching off the lights, I threw open a window and saw a young officer in a tin hat standing below.

"Can I see you for a moment, sir?" he asked. "Enemy airmen have landed near here."

Now, I had been feeling tired and every day my age. I became suddenly wide-awake and full of energy. I flew into my denims and was downstairs facing a pink lieutenant, who treated me as if I were a centenarian; which was irritating, because I now felt no older than eighteen.

He explained that five, or perhaps seven, enemy airmen had been seen to bale out over the district as dusk was falling. Troops had blocked all roads. Could I, he asked apologetically, get my Home Guards to go across country to a certain place?

"Yes, I'll take them there myself," I replied eagerly.

"Oh, really, sir," that's most frightfully good of you," he said, like a schoolboy thanking an uncle for a ten-shilling note.

In a few moments dark figures were meeting under the big elm tree. It was bright enough for me to recognise little Harry, big Frank, George, Jack, and some of the other men who were the Moss Side on their uniforms.

"Well," said Harry, "and put over your duty catches."

There, with the stirrup pumps and the buckets of sand and water, I was

LIFE IN 1940

climb, and the ker-lack of closed bolts. We then moved off in single file, stealing like shadows up the lane and across stubble fields, where we spread out in extended order.

It was a glorious night, a great moon lifting a serene face over a curved field, a moon not even mildly interested in Man.

Why have lovers, I wondered, always interpreted the moon's expression as one of sympathy? It is an expression of complete detachment. Neither love nor hate can interest the moon.

Hedges rose against the sky as it drew in blackest ink. Stubble stretched away, white and brittle, and from it came a warm, sweet smell that has the end of summer in it.

Now and again we stopped to listen, moving on again with no sound but the soft swish of our boots among the corn stalks.

How lightly life is now poised on the needle's point, I thought, the ordinary and the incredible side by side, separated only by a split second.

A few moments ago I had been going to bed, now I was moving over moonlit fields, every sense alive, with a loaded revolver at my belt.

It was incredible, like something one had read long ago in "The Boy's Own Paper," preposterously juvenile, yet, at the same time, terribly real and tragic.

Stop! Harry comes up and whispers hoarsely. "Oughtn't we to beat Badger's Copse?"

"Right, Harry, you go in with Frank and we'll creep up and wait for you."

They melt into the wood in which they have ferreted, trapped and shot since they were small boys. We kneel like shadows at the dark edge.

Suppose the Germans came out now! What would happen? If they got too close they would get more than they expected; if they quietly surrendered—well, I suppose we should give them cigarettes and lead them home to a drink until the police came for them.

Funny, weird, ridiculous business to be going on by moonlight on the sand, sweet harvest fields of England.

And what would they feel like, I wondered, to fall from the skies into a quiet English home among women and little children upon whom, a few hours before, they were ready to drop their loads of death.

I suppose if airmen could see and know their victims, perhaps they would make a point of "falling to locate their objectives."

The two figures climbed out of the wood. Nothing there, they said. So we went on into the blackness of a hollow and out into a green wash of moonlight, where a cottage stood, dark, silent and asleep.

We searched the sheds. My torch revealed in turn a barrel, a pair of gum-boots, a bicycle and a pink-eyed ferret in a cage.

We went on over the ridge to Brown's Farm, where the dogs went mad. A window opened and old Brown's voice asked what the blazes we were doing.

"It's you fellows, is it? Hallo, Frank! Hallo, Jack! Why for a minute I thought the Germans had come, and I was about to let the dogs on 'em, that I was."

"No, I ain't seen no Germans, nor has anybody else, I reckon. I was out with the tractor till dark, and no Germans came down this way, that I can swear to."

Still, we search the barns, the stables, the out-houses and the outhouses, and the wavering moons of our torches move over the picturesque disarray of farm implements, old hay-carts, chaff-cutters, and the like.

Harry and George climb upon a mound of hay and prod about in it; and I am reminded of some story, read long ago, of Roundheads searching for Cavaliers.

It is a picture I shall never forget; the green light spilling down from roofs, the pitch-blackness of the barns and sheds, the old beams, the grey shadows of rats melting noiselessly away, and the figures of the patrol, in heroic silhouette, moving with rifles at the high port.

WE cover the last half

mile slowly, creeping over the curved fields, watching the hedgerows, searching the copses; then below us we see the dark line of the road.

As we climb over a gate, a sharp voice cries "Halt!" and we walk up to be recognised by a sentry.

A brown lorry is drawn up in the hedge. The moonlight slides over bayonets. The troops are standing listlessly. A pink lieutenant detaches himself from the shadows and comes forward.

"It's most frightfully good of you, sir, to have done this. I do hope you're not too tired."

Too tired, he hanged! I could go on like this all night.

"I'm afraid you're going to be most awfully sick with me, sir," he continues. "I've just had news to call in my men, because the Germans have been captured at Bonworthy Major."

Seven miles away! I suppose they were blown over in the dark. What bad luck! Still, never mind. We've done our stuff.

The combined local knowledge of farmer, poacher, and sportsman was pooled for a moment, in order to hunt the invader from a little bit of England.

As we wander back down the moonlit lanes, we talk of this and that.

"Well, if they had been hereabouts, we'd have had 'em sure enough," says Harry.

And we all agree, as we unload under the elm tree and go home to bed.

Women Steal Vegetables

Growing In Garden

Described as women of good position and education, Mrs. Gwendoline Walton, 39, her 18-year-old daughter, and Mrs. Violet Masters, aged 50, of Seaford Road, Westcliff, were fined 25 each at Southend for stealing growing onions, pears, and marrow, worth 3s., from a garden.

They were said to have used a motor-car to take the goods away. The charge against the daughter was dismissed.

There are a large number of empty houses in the town, and people are going into gardens stripping them of vegetables and fruit without making any inquiries regarding ownership.

The inspector said that the garden belonged to a special constable who occupied it, and after he had been there for some time there was a woman in the garden who was

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Pilot Tells Of Kiel Raid

AN R.A.F. pilot who bombed Kiel naval dockyard from 800 feet described how he was trapped in a terrific anti-aircraft barrage.

The raiders caused heavy explosions, culminating in huge fires.

"We flew along at about 13,000 feet and then came round slightly east of the target," said a pilot.

"One searchlight picked us up, and then suddenly we seemed to be in the centre of the biggest collection of A.A. bursts and searchlights I have ever seen."

"They all came on at once—just as though somebody had pushed over a switch."

"From my height I could definitely make out the shape of the Mole."

"I decided to take the odd chance, and we went down in a dive to 800 feet."

"We got up a dickens of a speed."

"When we got down to about 8,000 feet they had about 15 searchlights on us."

"The heavy 'flak' (anti-aircraft fire) had been coming up all the time, and now the light 'flak' started."

"It just came straight up at us. I have never seen so much before."

"I thought we couldn't go back having got so far, so we just carried on."

"I Was Blinded"

"Now and then I was able to catch a glimpse of the Mole in front of me."

"I saw a long dark shape to the west of it that certainly looked like a ship."

"We just carried on diving. 'I gave the order to release the bombs at 800 feet."

"Then straight away we shot down to 100 feet over the Mole and just above the water."

"There seemed to be more searchlights than ever. At times I was blinded."

"It was impossible to see the results of the bombing."

"Suddenly in front of me, I saw a lot of trees coming up straight ahead."

"One of the searchlights, flattening out to try to catch us, had illuminated them, just in time for me to see them."

"I pulled the aircraft up, and we went over the top."

Away At Last

"The trouble was we didn't dare go up too high, because as soon as we did every gun in the place started opening up."

"We must have stayed over the town for about ten minutes, just charging backwards, and forwards trying to get away."

"Practically all the time we were at about 100 feet."

"We went south, zig-zagging all the time."

"We got about 15 miles away, and then, although we were being shot at, we were able to gain height."

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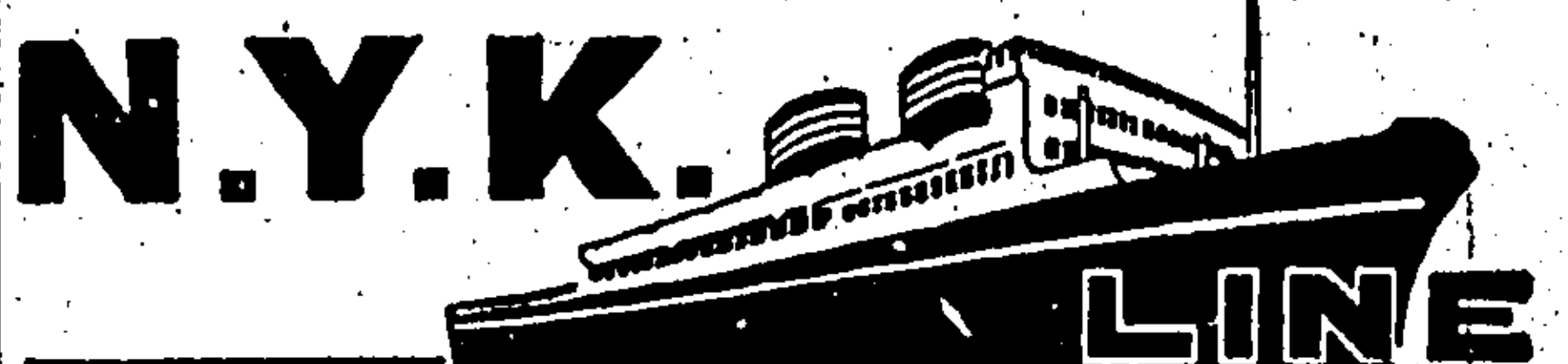


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Takaoka Maru (starts from Kobe) 17th Nov.

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QUO VADIS, JAPAN?

THE thoughts of responsible people in the Far East are again centred on South China where events are reported to be happening which, if only some of them are true, portend new activities menacing the security and status quo of one or more of the national units in the South and China Seas.

It is not politic to put into blunt words what many people fear; it is not wise to guess at what may happen, because alarmists are undesirable and prophets are ill-informed. One may speculate endlessly on the reasons for the Japanese withdrawal from the strong, if economically unjustified garrisons they held in Kwangsi and Kwangtung, and the subsequent concentration of their troops in Hainan.

Japan appears to have found it profitable to follow Hitlerian methods in undermining the sovereignty of Indo-China. What was accomplished so easily in that case will certainly tempt them to try again elsewhere. There is little to gain in China at the present time and by retaining Canton and the Pearl River, the invader is keeping open the door for re-entry when the time is appropriate. Besides, the Japanese navy can always smash up Chinese coastal and riparian units and land heavy forces because of its undisputed control of the sea.

What better opportunity then presents itself for another coup in the south? Thailand is weak and, since the Japanese penetration of Indo-China, Thailand is doubly vulnerable. The Dutch East Indies are well garrisoned and protected by a small fleet. But could they successfully resist a strong attack backed up by naval aircraft, battleships and submarines? Once inside the country, the Japanese would find thousands of their own citizens, in addition to thousands of able-bodied Germans now interned, to help in keeping in action the productive and administrative machinery with which, no doubt, they are familiar.

It is to be hoped that Japan plans no such grab. Indeed there are good reasons why she should not. In our unity in her attempt to seek the rubber and other goods which

Day by day the Germans are plundering the countries they have enslaved. They make no bones about it. It is unfitting, Dr. Ley has declared, that Poles should presume to have the same standards of life as the Germans. The standard of living of the Dutch must be lowered, writes the *Deutsche Volkswirt*, if the conquered country is to supply Germany with food. We, Germans, says the *Volkischer Beobachter* in the true Goebbels style, have as much interest in the French harvest as the French themselves. The economic system of Europe must be organised, says Dr. Funk, to guarantee to the German people the highest possible standard of well-being.

Everywhere the purpose is the same; to turn the enslaved peoples into helots in the service of the German *Herrenvolk*, the lordly ones, the master bullies. The promised golden age is one in which all other nations will be placidly agricultural, hewers of wood and drawers of water for the Nordic engineers, mechanised warriors and men of science. That is for the future. But for the moment there is no pretence at laying the foundations even for that cheerless future. The Germans' chief concern so far has been to plunder and to stock their own granaries at the expense of their oppressed peoples.

In every country which they have over-run they have commandeered outright nearly all the food reserves and have ordered the slaughtering of much of the livestock. During this week alone, September 16 to 22, Germany is taking over 17,000 sheep from Denmark, 15,000 for immediate slaughter, 2,000 for grazing. Over 11,000 head of cattle are

the Dutch East Indies produces, because it would be impossible to protect the Dutch East Indies from Japan, or to leave adequate protection there without weakening Japan, if strong naval forces took offensive action against communications between the two countries.

Reports from Tokyo do not convey the impression that the recent onrush of nationalist spirit has survived its first impulse. No brilliant diplomatic moves (unless the subjugation of Indo-China is counted) have resulted from the galaxy of talent that Mr. Matsuo was to raise to office. It would seem that there is now some confusion of objects and reasons in Japanese policy; military "achievement" has given it no new leaders; Chungking is spiritually stronger and materially unimpaired.

Quo vadis, Japan? In pursuing Chinese and Communists she is valuing the dark; by throwing down her arms and getting back to her fields and factories and ships she would invite and receive profitable trade with customers in a position to offer all she needs; by following the path of good sense and humanity she would light fires again in deserted and poverty-stricken homesteads in her own country and give her hard-pressed people, something more to live for than destruction and self-destruction.

similarly being taken from Denmark to the Western districts of the Reich. Holland lost nine-tenths of her large butter re-serves in a week. Out of machinery or in services later at 23,000,000 poultry in the Netherlands 22,000,000 are being killed time. Even before the war many Balkan countries found this autumn.

"The slaughtering of pigs in Holland," says the *Kölnische Zeitung*, "is being accelerated."

The meat which cannot be sold in Holland will be sent to Germany "where more storage space is available," a neat way of saying that Germany will take the lot, as she has begun to do.

Only the other day came the German wireless boast that Germany had taken 43,000,000kgs of early potatoes from Holland within three months—whereas the wireless added, Holland's exports of early potatoes to all countries in the world amounted to no more than 27,000,000kgs in a normal three-months period.

From the enslaved countries as a whole Germany has added 2,000,000 tons of wheat to her own reserves; and has just demanded 780,000 tons from France.

Slaughter of Stocks

These are only a few of the statistical examples that have come recently of a process that is general and continuous. From Norway, Denmark, Holland, Belgium, and now from both halves of France, comes evidence of general decrees for the commandeering or the slaughtering of stock. From Norway Germany takes 200 tons of fish daily. From Belgium she takes all the available eggs, and Belgian producers have been warned of penalties should they try to sell without a German-controlled licence.

Exports of herrings from several countries have been prohibited; all are to go to Germany. Out of the Bohemian Protectorate the Germans are taking wheat by the wagon load. Even the depleted Polish stocks are systematically raided.

The story is often told of how Blucher, fresh from Waterloo, looked at London from the dome of St. Paul's. "Was fur Plunder!" he was heard to mutter under his breath. What a city to plunder—the Germans of today say it aloud as they gaze round their oppressed countries.

Their manner of getting what they want varies from place to place. In Bohemia and in Poland in the first days they used the methods of loot—pure and simple. Wheat and other food were piled high on wagons and driven away. Elsewhere they have used forced labour, forced sales, forced prices. Sometimes there is a show of bartering. The Germans always speak generally of their bartering system as though it recaptured the simplicity and the brotherly spirit of the days when Solomon National Central Banks and sent measures of wheat and measures of pure oil to Hiram, more issues of their currency to King of Tyre, who returned him cedar trees and fir trees, according to his desire.

THE RATIONING TABLE

The following table shows the disparity between German rations and those of the enslaved peoples, figures being given in ounces per week:

	Bread	Meat	Sugar	Fats	Coffee
Germany	44	17 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	3 1/2 (substitute)
Poland	28	12 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	2 1/2
France	Restricted	Restricted	12 1/2	5 1/2	Restricted
Denmark	11	5	5	10 1/2	1 1/2
Netherlands	11	5	5	10 1/2	1 1/2
Belgium	11	5	5	10 1/2	1 1/2

* Supplies usually not equal to official rations.

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due to war and occupation. All that is behind the new money is a bundle of German bonds (which in normal times the Central Banks would not have touched with a barge-pole) or German promises to honour the issue in the day of victory. It is sheer inflation.

Nor is that all. The deception is greater. In all the oppressed countries the Reichsmark is over-valued; more goods can be bought with it than it is worth. Recently decrees have aggravated the disproportion by pushing down the value of the local currency, while at the same time prohibiting any compensatory rise in prices. A German concern, using doubly or trebly over-valued marks, can therefore purchase goods for a mere song and shares in Dr. Schacht and Dr. Funk in local industries for a trifle.

The result in the unfortunate countries concerned is that even the little which seems fairly good is deceptive. The whole economy is on thin ice. A crack or a thaw and the whole thing collapses. Meanwhile Dr. Schacht and Dr. Funk hope that by filling Germany with goods they will put off the day of uncontrolled inflation at home.

The Germans can manipulate money and credit. They cannot manipulate food. There are no fake *Scheine* to take the place of the supplies they have taken out of the oppressed countries. Proof of the lack already developing is seen in the comparative rations for the Germans and for the people under their control.

The ration cards do not tell all the story, for many of the oppressed people find that they cannot buy even the amounts to which they are limited. What the ration cards show is that the Germans are deliberately under-feeding the people whom they declare are under their protection. In almost every commodity the amount of food is less outside the Reich than inside. In some instances those "protected" are given less than half of what is allowed to the Germans.

Wherever the German oppression is examined it is found to be based on ruthlessness, cynical exploitation, deceit.

NEW TYPE OF AIRSCREW

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Pilot's Easier Task

The feathering airscrew could have a "braking" function which was valuable for manoeuvring on the ground or in water. All these qualities are retained in the electrically-operated airscrew, which is an improvement on the hydraulically-operated kind. Electric control makes the pilot's part in the operation simpler. Power for the changing of the pitch of the blades is developed through an electric motor driven off the aircraft's batteries.

AIR FIGHT OVER THE CHANNEL

Follows Savage Nazi Raids

Special to the "Telegraph"

LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Large squadrons of Hurricanes and Messerschmitts battled over the Channel this afternoon, after what was described as a savage dive bombing attack on southeast coast towns.

Hurricane fighters intercepted the tail end of the raiders and chased them over the Channel clouds where long bursts of machinegun fire was heard. Other raiders then joined in the battle.

Planes were seen climbing and diving over mid-Channel while additional British planes swept out over the cliffs in an attempt to cut off the Germans.

R.A.F. Strike Back

LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—A heavy explosion was heard from the direction of the French coast this afternoon, and it is believed that Royal Air Force bombers carried out a surprise attack on the occupied ports. The detonation was heard just before Messerschmitt fighter planes dive-bombed two southeastern towns killing four people in one town. Afterwards a German plane was seen spiralling towards the sea. Later British guns fired several salvos across the Straits of Dover.

Nazi Raids Ineffective

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—Four German bombers have been destroyed during today's enemy raids which have been attempted over several parts of the country. In none of these, says an Air Ministry communique, were many bombs dropped and scarcely any damage or casualties were caused anywhere.

London Raid

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
LONDON, Nov. 13 (7.50 p.m.) (UP).—Soon after the night alarm at 6.30 p.m. three enemy planes tried to break the outer defences of the London area, but were driven off one after another by heavy anti-aircraft fire. After this there was a long lull. Semi-official reports state that three German planes were destroyed over Britain to-day.

Shelter Hit

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—It is feared that several were killed including women and children when a bomb crashed into a public air raid shelter in which 80 persons were taking refuge. Rescuers fought throughout the night to reach those who have been trapped, and they are still tunnelling.

St. Martin-in-the-Fields Hit

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—The church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields was among the places damaged in a recent London air raid. All the windows and one side of the building were blown in. Most of the 600 people in the crypt escaped. South Africa House was also damaged by the same bomb.

Food For Spain

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 (UP).—The United States Government is giving attention to the possibility of assisting Spain with supplies of foodstuffs and other materials when shortages occur, Mr. Sumner Welles disclosed to-day. No decision have yet been made and supplies are largely a matter for the American Red Cross.

AUSTRALIAN WAR EXPENDITURE

CANBERRA, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—Australia's war expenditure had risen from £20,000,000 in July to £11,000,000 for October, declared Mr. A. W. Fadden, the Australian Treasurer, in a broadcast to-day. He said that in order to raise funds for war the Commonwealth Government would use credit expansion within strict limits, increase taxation, and launch the biggest loan in the history of the country.

Netherlands Oil For Japan

ANNUAL SUPPLY ASSURED
BATAVIA, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—The Netherlands Oil Company will henceforth be supplying Japan with over 1,800,000 tons of oil and oil products annually. The recently-initiated agreement provides that Japanese importers purchase crude oil at the rate of 700,000 tons annually and oil products at the rate of \$40,000 tons. This will be in addition to about 494,000 tons of various oil products regularly shipped by oil companies here.

British Control Of African Coast

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—From Monday next, all ships to and from Syria, French West Africa, Liberia (negro republic), Portuguese Guinea, Madagascar and Reunion (French islands), will have to have navicerts from the British Ministry of Economic Warfare. As in other areas, failure to comply with the regulations means that the master of the ship as well as the owners and charterers may be denied the use of any British control facilities.

Raider Laid Mines Off Australia

MELBOURNE, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—It is now certain that a German raider laid the mines which sank a British and an American ship on Friday, stated Mr. William Hughes, the Navy Minister, to-day. Mr. Hughes added that the mines were laid "quite recently."

The raider must be within a certain radius, and naval and air patrols were searching diligently.

Truth About Gallabat

British In Occupation

LONDON, Nov. 13 (British Wireless).—Details to hand of the operations round Gallabat, on the border of the Sudan, show that the British took the place from the Italians, abandoned it, and have now again occupied it. Gallabat is a village with a little police fort and is not important in itself from a strategic point of view except as a useful jumping-off ground for raids either on the Sudan or Abyssinia and a spot where several caravan routes converge.

Italian occupation last summer made it a military objective, for they held it with one battalion with two supporting battalions at Metemba, one or two miles away across the Abyssinian frontier.

Italians Surprised

On November 6, British forces consisting mainly of Indian troops with a number of British, attacked and captured Gallabat. The Italians were taken by surprise and the capture only took 75 minutes although the Italians issued a highly coloured official report that the British at first were repulsed after suffering substantial losses, and then the Italian Garrison was forced to fall back by superior numbers.

A counter attack, supported by Genna battalions, was successfully repelled by the British with the loss of 27 enemy killed.

Japanese Reconnoitre From Indo-China

KUNMING, Nov. 14 (Central News).—Kunming was under air raid alarm for nearly six hours from yesterday. The city was visited by three waves of Japanese planes flying from bases in Indo-China but no bombs were dropped. Four aircraft reconnoitred over the Burma Road.

Attacks in N. Kiangsi

KAOAN, Nov. 13 (Central News).—Chinese troops in northern Kiangsi are attacking Japanese positions near Nanchang.

Tatsikail, north-west of Anyi, was recaptured by the Chinese on November 10.

Trucks Strike Mine

LIHUANG, Nov. 14 (Central News).—Scores of Japanese were killed when four Japanese trucks loaded with troops were blown up by a Chinese mine near Chaoshien, in central Anhwei on November 12. Chinese troops lying in ambush seized a quantity of arms and ammunition.

Secession Of Nazis From Civilisation

Amery On New Barbarism

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—"We are fighting against secession, as Nazidom is; in effect, a war of secession from European civilisation," said Mr. L. M. S. Amery, Secretary for India, speaking at a National Defence of Public Interests Committee luncheon to-day. Lord Nathan presided.

Mr. Amery said that the culture and ideals given by Greece, Rome, Christianity and the Middle Ages were all directly challenged by the new barbarism.

"It is because the issues go so deep, because this total war is not in methods only but between irreconcilable principles which are contending for victory, that no compromise is possible," he added.

Referring to the failure of German air attacks on Britain, Mr. Amery said that he hardly realised that from day to day young British airmen had won one of the world's historic battles—a battle which, he thought, would figure in this war as the Battle of the Marne.

Word To Mussolini

Mr. Amery described Mussolini as the victim of an illusion that he was destined to restore the greatness of ancient Rome, "but he forgets that Rome grew not by calculated aggression but largely by sheer force of character and circumstances. He has also forgotten that even before ancient Rome there was ancient Greece and that the spirit of ancient Greece still lives in Greece to-day."

Mr. Amery was loudly cheered when he referred to the British success against the Italian Fleet. "It is something to go on with," said Mr. Amery. "Wars are won by daring."

Crossword Puzzle

By LAURE MORRIS

ACROSS

- Small worm
- Trading place
- Wading bird
- Medicinal plant
- Plant embryo
- Go (French)
- Adamant
- Pond
- Outside of plenty
- Young goats
- Concerning
- English queen
- Excentric piece
- Writ of execution
- Use
- Permit
- American coin
- Tellurium
- Small globe
- Chinese god
- Preside
- Join closely
- European range
- One who
- Philippine Malay
- On summit
- Strong man of
- Ductile

DOWN

- Bottom of feet (pl.)
- Orain
- Near
- Travelling of horse
- Shanty
- Threat of drying
- Otherwise
- Wanderer
- Growing out
- Small
- Wet
- Paired
- Mountain lion
- Join closely
- Prize
- Looks over
- Spirit
- Kat together
- Draw in dots
- Arrange
- Prail canine
- Fractured
- Shank
- Swedish manual training
- Prail
- At suit of (abbr.)
- Girl's name
- Girl's name
- Doctor (abbr.)
- Build: one who
- Printer's measure

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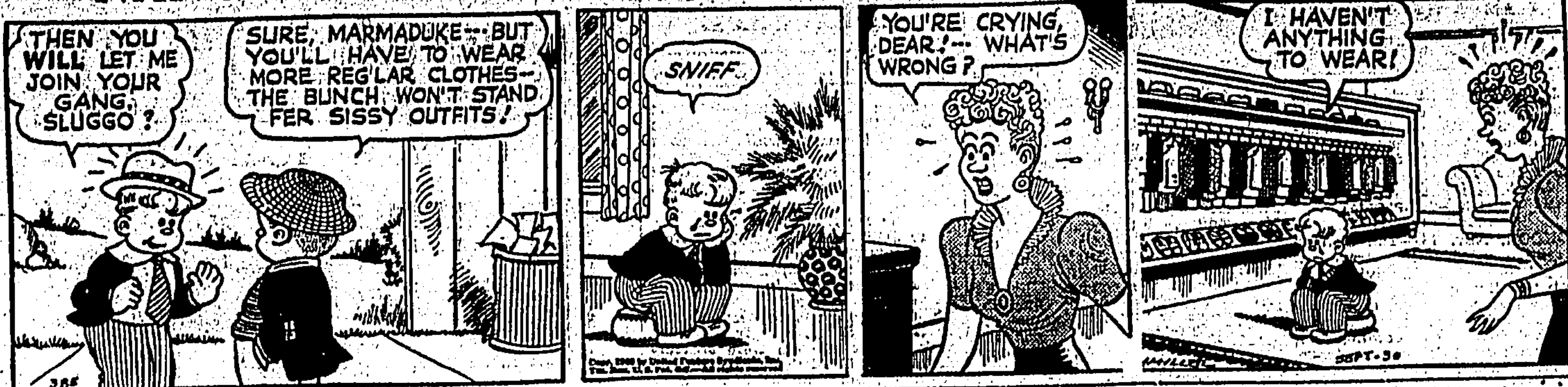
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Chiang Kai-Shek Gives Up A Minor Post

CHUNGKING, Nov. 14 (Central News).—General Chang Chun, Secretary-General of the Supreme National Defence Council, was appointed concurrently Chairman of the Szechwan Provincial Government. The post hitherto had been held concurrently by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

General Ku Cheng-lun, former Garrison Commander of Nanking, was appointed member and concurrently Chairman of the Kansu Provincial Government succeeding General Chu Shao-ling, who had resigned in order to devote himself to military affairs.

Complying with a petition of the National Military Council, General Chang Chun, the new Chairman of Szechwan, was appointed concurrently Director of the Generalissimo's Headquarters at Chengtu. General Ho Kuo-kwang, incumbent Secretary-

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T.T. Bangkok	149 1/2
T.T. Saigon	100 1/2
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T.T. Switzerland	88 1/2
T.T. Australia	1/6 1/2
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4 m/s L/C U.S.A.	24 1/2
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30 d/s India	84 1/2
U.S. Cross-rate in London	4.02 1/2
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Firm British Action On Status of Tangier

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—It was revealed in the House of Commons today that the action of the officer commanding Spanish troops in Tangier in taking full charge with the title of government, was undertaken without consultation with any other government interested.

The British Ambassador in Madrid, Sir Samuel Hoare, had been instructed to record a formal protest.

Commenting on this, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, announced that the British Ambassador had been instructed to make clear to the Spanish Government that the British Government attached great importance to the maintenance of the neutrality of the zone.

Asked if the British Government would take every action to see that Tangier remained neutral and unfortified, Mr. Butler said, "Yes. The British Ambassador has stressed the importance we attach to the maintenance of neutrality of the zone."

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Club "A" Beat Navy 17-3

(By "Fly-half")
(Continued from Page 6.)

fended well but was late in getting the ball out. Clemo in the scrum-half position did well, but when played at wing-three was given few chances.

At forward, Club were best served by Godfrey, who worked very hard in all departments and especially in the lineouts. O'Brien was also seen to advantage in the loose. Burford, not long back from Manila, turned out and hooked exceedingly well.

McGill was the only Navy back to penetrate Club defence, and took dangerous. He came near to scoring on several occasions. Clark worked hard at the base of the scrum, but with Burford obtaining a monopoly of the ball in the set scrums, the scrum-half was mainly on the defensive.

Taylor, Palmer, Stockham and Hughes did well in the Navy pack which forgot to heel when held.

THE GAME

ATKINHEAD was sent over for a try on the far side following good work by Morgan. The former failed to convert.

Hughes equalised for Navy with a penalty goal soon after.

Morgan again weaved his way through Navy defence to carry on and score himself. Redman failed to convert.

Atkinhead, felled from the kick-off and ran up across the field and kicked to and obtained touch two from Navy goal-line. With only Needham and a Navy defender there, Taylor threw-in over the head of the Navyman to Needham who threw himself over for a try which Atkinhead failed to convert.

In a grand foot race, Hughes and O'Brien carried the ball to the Navy line, where the former touched down. Redman converted.

SECOND HALF

AFTER the interval, Navy forwards, with fierce forward rushes, kept the ball in the Club half for a while, but neglected to heel when held. Club, on the other hand, scored chances. Back at the other end, a cross-kick by Taylor gave Thompson a clear field and he scored an unconverted try midway out.

The teams were:

Club: Peacock, Taylor, Atkinhead, D. Hynes, Thompson, Morgan, Clemo, O'Brien, Burford, Heasman, Moodie, Needham, Redman, Godfrey, B. Hynes.

Navy: Clough, Gracie, McGee, Addie, McGill, Wilson, Clark, Palmer, Richards, Stockham, Grange, Rutherford, Taylor, Thornhill, Hughes.

Trophy Returned By Hongkong

WITH the second check of the result of the Atkinhead Shield, lawn bowls match giving the shield to Kowloon, the trophy has been returned to the Secretary of the H.K.L.B.A. for a re-award.

The Captain of the Hongkong team, J. Deakin, has also returned his spoon.

K. C. C. Teams For Saturday

The following will represent the K.C.C. teams against Civil Service Cricket Club in friendly cricket matches on Saturday.

1st XI at home: E. C. Fincher (Capt.), N. D. Lloyd, D. J. N. Anderson, E. F. Fincher, A. Zimmerman, F. R. Morgan, D. Hung, W. Rapley, B. D. Lay, R. T. Broadbridge and T. A. Madar.

2nd XI at C.S.C.C.: S. A. Gray (Capt.), R. Baldwin, G. A. Goodban, F. J. Lay, K. M. Baxter, R. J. Fenton, J. R. Luke, R. A. J. Simpson, E. Curtis, H. Brokenshire and L. R. Birch.

Norwegian "Go Slow" Drive

Passive Resistance

BASLE, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—A movement is growing among officials in Norway to demonstrate disrespect for their new masters, according to the Stockholm correspondents of newspapers.

The "National Zeitung" reports that all officials of the administrative district of Brund were dismissed for "go slow" conduct and that the administration of the district has been completely dislocated.

Similar disobedience is reported from many other parts of Norway.

Volunteer and Chinese In Collision

Corporal K. Mitchell of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, was injured yesterday morning when, about 9 a.m., he collided with a Chinese pedestrian on the Castle Peak Road. Mitchell received injuries to the left thigh and the Chinese also being injured, both were taken to the Kowloon Hospital where they were admitted for treatment.

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Hitler & Molotov In Parley

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M. Molotov sat at Hitler's right hand at the luncheon table.

Molotov's visit to the Chancellery to-day lasted over four hours. His talks with Hitler occupied three hours of this time.

Real Hitler Objective (BY "REUTERS" DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT)

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The German Foreign Office has itself belatedly its principal objective in inviting M. Molotov to Berlin.

The Wilhelmstrasse statement refers to the primary need of fixing the basis of Soviet collaboration not merely with the Axis but with Japan. In other words, having secured Japan's participation in the tripartite agreement designed to counter any move by the United States, Germany is now trying to associate the Soviets with the pact.

It is unlikely, however, that the Soviets will fall in with Hitler's plans so far as to commit herself to any specific course as the war develops. That the talks may result in improved relations between the Soviets and Japan is by no means improbable. Neither country wishes to be drawn into war and there are abundant questions in which their interests run parallel.

Sino-Japanese War

Although it is not easy to see any common ground regarding the situation in China, some form of compromise on that subject is easier to envisage than commitments by the Soviets in Europe, other than economic commitments.

It will be recalled that Germany tried to trace the new Polish frontier further westward so as to give Russia a bigger slice of Poland, but Moscow was satisfied with territories where the inhabitants are most Russian. Therefore, it is unlikely that Stalin will now be tempted to a policy of adventure.

As for economic talks, it is only necessary to recall the unfulfilled hopes Germany built upon last year's agreement with the Soviets, to realise the gulf between promise and performance in the supply of Russian materials.

It is probable, however, that M. Molotov will agree to the admission of German experts to help overcome the delays inherent in the Russian economic system.

The smashing British victory over the Italian Fleet at Taranto will doubtless weigh heavily in the scales of the Axis deliberations.

Molotov Going Home

BERLIN, Nov. 13 (UP).—The official German news agency reports that M. Molotov, in winding up his discussions with German Government officials, had a farewell interview for several hours with Herr von Ribbentrop.

The air raid sirens sounded during the farewell party at the Soviet Embassy which M. Molotov gave in honour of von Ribbentrop, but they continued without being disturbed.

French Fleet On Way To Orient?

FROM PAGE ONE

Lands East Indies, the Foreign Office announces the creation of a Bureau of South Seas Affairs.

Part of the reason for the step is stated to be the creation of the new situation by the conclusion of a treaty of amity between Japan and Thailand as well as the dispatch of Japanese missions to the Netherlands East Indies and Indo-China.

Young Soldier Passes On

FROM PAGE ONE

The funeral of Signalmann W. A. Taylor, of the Hongkong Signal Company, who died on Tuesday at the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, following a brief illness, took place at the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday. Full military honours were accorded.

Signalmann Taylor, who was only 21 years old, had been stationed in Hongkong for three years. He was a member of the Signals water polo team. His home in England was in Kenilworth, Warwickshire.

The service was conducted by the Rev. S. Hinchliffe, Army Chaplain. The deceased's brother, Lance Corporal A. Taylor of the Hongkong Signal Company, was the chief mourner. Those present included Lieut.-Col. E. Levitt, the Chief Signal Officer, Major L. Hayes, Officer Commanding the Hongkong Signal Company, and other officers.

Mr. Jack Barnato Joel

London, Nov. 13.

The death occurred to-day of Mr. Jack Barnato Joel, financier and well known racehorse owner.

Born in 1862, Mr. Joel was a partner in Barnato Brothers and permanent Chairman of the Johannesburg Consolidated Investment Co. Ltd. and was on the Boards of many Rand gold mines. He was also largely interested in the Diamond Corporation Ltd. and De Beers Consolidated Mines. His wife, who died in 1937, was a daughter of Thomas Sopwith.

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General Catroux In Egypt

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" CAIRO, Nov. 13 (UP).—It has been revealed that General Catroux has arrived in Egypt to confer with the British authorities and the French National Committee.

The General visited Free French units fighting with the British in the Western Desert.

At present General Catroux is on the Libyan front.

Mr. Chamberlain's Remains Cremated

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The remains of Mr. Neville Chamberlain were privately cremated in London to-day.

There was no service or ceremony and only two members of his household were present.

Arrangements for the funeral service are not yet announced.

EVACUATION COMMITTEE

Members of the Committee elected at the public meeting last Friday, to consider problems affecting evacuees from the Colony, met at the Peninsula Hotel yesterday, and will probably be issuing a communique to the Press to-day.

The Committee consists of the Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, Chairman; Mr. F. C. Clemo, Secretary (ex-officio); Messrs. F. F. Duckworth, J. F. Galvin, A. C. Jeffrey, J. F. Macgregor, S. Simpson, C. E. Terry, and Rev. J. R. Higgs.

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pursuance of the Captain's intention to draw the enemy's fire away from the ships in convoy while the latter dispersed.

The Jervis Bay sank about three hours after the enemy's fire had started.

Ninety Survivors Safe

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—Ninety survivors of four of the ships which the German surface raider sank in the Atlantic arrived here to-day.

They were found drifting in lifeboats some 30 hours after the ships sank. Most of them were sparsely clad and said that they had had a "wretched time" in the heavy weather.

H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning.

BANKS

H.K. Banks \$.....1.245 b.
H.K. Banks £......05 n.
H.K. Banks (H.K.) £......71 n.
Chartered £......74 n.
Mercantile, A. & B. £......25 1/2 n.
Mercantile, C. £......10 1/2 n.
East Asia £......73 b.

INSURANCES

Union \$......185 n.
China Underwriters1 n.
H.K. Fire \$......150 n.

SHIPPING

Douglases \$......135 n.
Steamboats \$......11 n.
Indo-China P. \$......100 n.
Indo-China D. \$......80 n.
Shell (Bearers) s/-.....35 3/4 n.
Waterboats \$......6.00 n.

DOCKS ETC.

Wharves \$......00 1/4 n.
Docks (old) \$......10 1/2 n.
Docks (new) \$......16 n.
Providents \$......4.60 n.
Shai Dockyard \$......33 3/4 n.

MINING

Kailan s/-.....14/- n.
Raub \$......9 1/2 n.
H.K. Mines1 1/4 cts. n.

LANDS

Hotels \$......3 1/2 n.
Lands \$......31 n.
Lands 4% Debentures.....100 n.
Shai Lands Sh. \$......11 1/2 n.
Humphreys \$......7.10 n.
H.K. Realties \$......3.40 n.
Chinese Estates \$......100 n.

UTILITIES

Trams \$......16.10 b.
Peak Trams (old) \$......7.40 n.
Peak Trams (new) \$......3.70 n.
Star Ferries \$......37 1/2 sa.
C. Ferries \$......22 1/4 b.
China Lights (old) \$......7 b.
China Lights (new) \$......6.60 b.

INDUSTRIALS

H.K. Electric (old) \$......38 sa.
H.K. Electric (new) \$......37 1/4 b.
Macao Electric (old) \$......18 n.
Macao Electric (new) \$......16.60 n.
Sundukan Lights \$......12 1/2 n.
Telephones (old) \$......24 1/2 b.
Telephones (new) \$......9 1/4 n.

INDUSTRIALS

Cold: Macg. (Ord.) Sh. \$.....14.00 n.
Cold: Macg. (Pref.) Sh. \$.....12 n.
Canton Ice \$......1 n.
Cements \$......17 n.
H.K. Ropes \$......6.70 n.

STORES, &c.

Dairy Farms \$......17 1/4 b.
Watsons \$......0.60 b.
Lane Crawford \$......7.45 n.
Sincere \$......2.15 n.
Wing On (H.K.) \$......39 n.
Powell Ltd. \$......1 n.

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Shai Cotton Sh. \$......105 n.

MISC.

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Ch. Govt. 5 1/2% 1925 GSBDs.....35 3/4 n.
H.K. Entertainments \$.....6.60 b.
Constructions (old) \$.....1.00 n.
Constructions (new) \$.....1 n.
Vibro Piling \$......8 sa.
Marsmans Inv. (Lon.) s/-.....7/6 n.
Marsmans Inv. (H.K.) s/-.....2/9 n.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange Official Summary, issued yesterday says:

The market continues steady.

Buyers

Hongkong Banks \$1,240
Union Ins. \$390
Yatunati Ferries \$22 1/4
China Lights (Old) \$0.60
China Lights (New) \$0 1/2
Electric (Old) \$37 1/4
Electric (New) \$37 1/4
Telephones (Old) \$24 1/2
Macao Electric (New) \$16.60

Sellers

H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 94 1/2
H.K. Ropes \$0.70
Vibro Piling \$8

Sales

H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 94
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Star Ferries \$37 1/4
China Lights (Old) \$7
Electric (Old) \$38
Watsons \$9.65

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Japanese Reconnoitre From Indo-China

KUNMING, Nov. 14 (Central News).—Kunming was under air raid alarm for nearly six hours from yesterday. The city was visited by three waves of Japanese planes flying from bases in Indo-China but no bombs were dropped.

Four aircraft reconnoitred over the Burma Road.

Attacks in N. Kiangsi

KAOAN, Nov. 13 (Central News).—Chinese troops in northern Kiangsi are attacking Japanese positions near Nanchang.

Tatsikail, north-west of Anyi, was recaptured by the Chinese on November 10.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be held in the Board Room, South China Morning Post, Ltd., on Thursday, 14th November, 1940 at 5.45 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st August, 1940, and of electing office bearers for the ensuing year, etc.

C. R.

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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12.50 Violin Solos by Albert Sammons.

Serenade (Arensky)—Intermezzo (from Cavalleria Rusticana)—Souvenir (Drda).

1. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.01 Bing Crosby (Vocal) and Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Variety.

2.15 Close Down.

6.00 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

6.02 An Hour of Dance Music.

7.00 London Relay—The News.

7.15 London Relay—Questions of the Hour.

7.30 Billy Russell (Comedian) in "On Behalf of the Working Classes."

7.45 Musical Comedy Selections.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Orchestral.

Overture to a Picaresque Comedy (Arnold Bax)... Sir Hamilton Harry conducting the London Philharmonic Orchestra.

8.15 Studio—Recital by Angelica Stone (Soprano) with E. O'Neill Shaw at the Piano.

1. Scene of Selkirk under the Manzanilla Tree (from "L'Africaine"—Meyerbeer)... Angelica Stone (Soprano) with Piano accompaniment.

2. Quondam Plut (Poulshoff)... E. O'Neill Shaw at the Piano; 3. (a) Love Three (Grieg), (b) The Three Comrades (Hermann), (c) La Rue (Gosselin)... Angelica Stone (Soprano) with Piano accompaniment.

8.45 Studio—Local Newsletter.

9.00 London Relay—The News and News Commentaries.

9.30 A Spanish Programme.

10.00 Dance Music by Joe Loss and His Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

Thought it was a DUODENAL ULCER

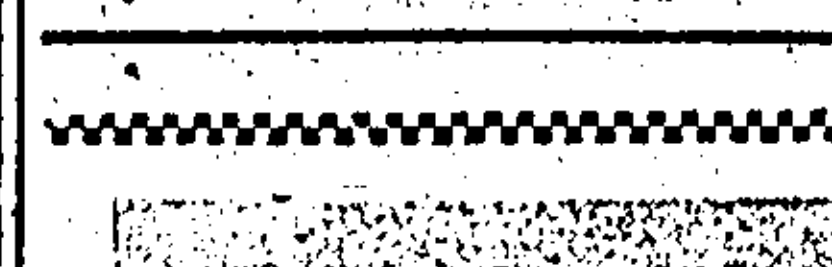
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U.S. DEFENCES WELL AHEAD

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 13 (Reuters).—The United States national defence programme is a "full year ahead of schedule."

Colonel Frank Knox, Secretary of the Navy, told reporters this after inspecting the navy yard at Boston to-day.

Colonel Knox added: "In 1941 we should be getting 20 new ships, including two battleships and one aircraft carrier."

Bomb Sights

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 (UP).—It is understood here that the Government has allowed the British to use one of the older types of bomb sights for experimental purposes after which they could be placed in production if the British so desire. The sight is reputed to be more efficient than the aerial sights that the British are now using.

The army and navy continue zealously to guard the later models of the apparatus.

NO NEW BASES

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Mr. Sumner Welles, Under-Secretary of State, said that the United States has not acquired, and does not intend to acquire, military bases from any of the Latin-American Republics.

He indicated that the United States might accept invitations to share the use of bases which the Latin-American nations might build themselves.

Bremen Denial

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—A Berlin report from America that the German liner Bremen is sunk, is denied by the official German news agency.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

DONATIONS TO CHARITABLE AND OTHER CAUSES

A total of \$1,414,141.87 was reached yesterday in the War Fund inaugurated by the S. C. M. Post, Ltd., with the following donations:

12.5 in appreciation of the Cartoon in yesterday morning's paper... \$25

Members of China Coast Officers & Marine Engineers Guild of China (6th donation)... 100

Kowloon Bowling Green Club (monthly donation)... 105

"Ducks & Drops" from the Hong-kong Cricket Club... 7.50

"Gold Match"...

AUSTRALIAN WAR EXPENDITURE

CANBERRA, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—Australia's war expenditure had risen from £2,000,000 in July to £11,000,000 for October, declared Mr. A. W. Fadden, the Australian Treasurer, in a broadcast to-day.

He said that in order to raise funds for war the Commonwealth Government would use credit expansion within strict limits, increase taxation, and launch the biggest loan in the history of the country.

CONGRESSMEN'S DISOBEDIENCE

BOMBAY, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—A move to extend Gandhi's civil disobedience campaign is indicated by a report that he has informed the Viceroy that he has drawn up a list of over 1,500 members of the Congress Party who will invite imprisonment by indulging in anti-war activities.

The list includes all well-known Congressmen, including former ministers in the provinces and members of the Central Legislature.

LEICHTENSTEIN BLACK-OUT

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—The last country in Central Europe still lighting up at night will enforce a black-out in future, says the Swiss radio.

It is the small principality of Leichtenstein, wedged between Switzerland and Austria. It has an area of only 65 square miles.

Canada's Wheat Situation

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" OTTAWA, Nov. 13 (UP).—Mr. M. J. Coldwell, Co-operative Commonwealth leader, to-day told the House of Commons that agricultural problems are endangering the entire economy of Canada.

He recommended the establishment of a Commission and a full-time Minister of Agriculture.

He said the western wheat areas have suffered serious financial losses, and added that the 300,000,000 bushels carry-over, plus the estimated 1940 crop will leave 800,000,000 bushels for the current year.

He also recommended the closing of the Winnipeg Grains Exchange for the purpose of suppressing gambling and speculation.

Mosque For Moslems In London

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuters).—The British Government is to ask Parliament for £100,000 for a site on which to establish a Mosque and an Islamic Cultural Centre in London.

The Committee making the plans was received by the King in Buckingham Palace to-day. It includes the Egyptian Ambassador, the Saudi-Arabian Minister, the High Commissioner for India and Lieut. Col. Sir H. Girraway.

The Committee members were presented to the King by Lord Lloyd.

Mr. Roosevelt's Pledge

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 (UP).—President Roosevelt to-day issued a statement pledging that he will work for national unity throughout his third term. "Shoulder to shoulder with all who pace Americanism above all other considerations."

The President's pledge was issued as an acknowledgment of "tens of thousands" of congratulatory telegrams and letters.

Mail And Parcels A stray

Two postmen, a married woman and an unemployed man appeared before Mr. G. T. Lowry at the Central Magistracy this morning on various charges of receiving and possessing letters and postal packets knowing them to be stolen. One of the postmen was also charged with larceny of letters and willful wrong delivery.

The case was fixed for hearing on Monday November 25.

General Catroux In Egypt

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" CAIRO, Nov. 13 (UP).—It has been revealed that General Catroux has arrived in Egypt to confer with the British authorities and the French National Committee.

The General visited Free French units fighting with the British in the Western Desert.

At present General Catroux is on the Libyan front.

U.S. Missionaries Want To Stay Here

CHUNGKING, Nov. 14 (Central News).—American missionaries in China are mostly reluctant to leave despite the United States Government's advice to evacuate the Far East.

It is said that the missionaries have indicated their determination to continue their work here to the last moment. When the worst comes to the worst, they will do so to withdraw those in Japanese-occupied areas to Free China but those in Free China will by no means be evacuated.

PEAK RESIDENT ATTACKED While walking along Laguna Road about 9.45 a.m. on Tuesday, Mrs. H. C. Morrell, of 293, The Peak, was attacked by a Chinese who made an unsuccessful attempt to snatch her handbag. The man escaped as soon as an alarm was raised.

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The first meeting of the above Committee was held at the Peninsula Hotel on 13th November at 5.30 p.m. All members were present and the following officers were appointed:—

Hon. Chairman, The Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, M.A.

Hon. Vice Chairman, C. E. Terry, Esq.

Hon. Secretary, F. C. Clemo, Esq.

Hon. Treasurer, J. F. Macgregor, Esq.

After outlining the procedure the following decisions were taken:—

- (1) Decided to write a letter to Colonial Secretary to obtain recognition of the Committee as representing over 500 Husbands and Relatives of Evacuees.
- (2) To draw up a questionnaire which is inserted below.
- (3) To ask for subscriptions and donations.
- (4) To co-operate with voluntary bodies in Sydney and Melbourne.
- (5) To draft a petition to Secretary of State for the Colonies through Constitutional Channels in accordance with the views expressed at the meeting held on 8th November.
- (6) To appoint a sub-committee to seek legal advice in the drafting of the petition and report to the General Committee on Friday 15th inst.
- (7) Many other questions raised at the General Meeting were discussed and deferred to a subsequent meeting of the Committee for decision, to be held on Friday 15th inst.

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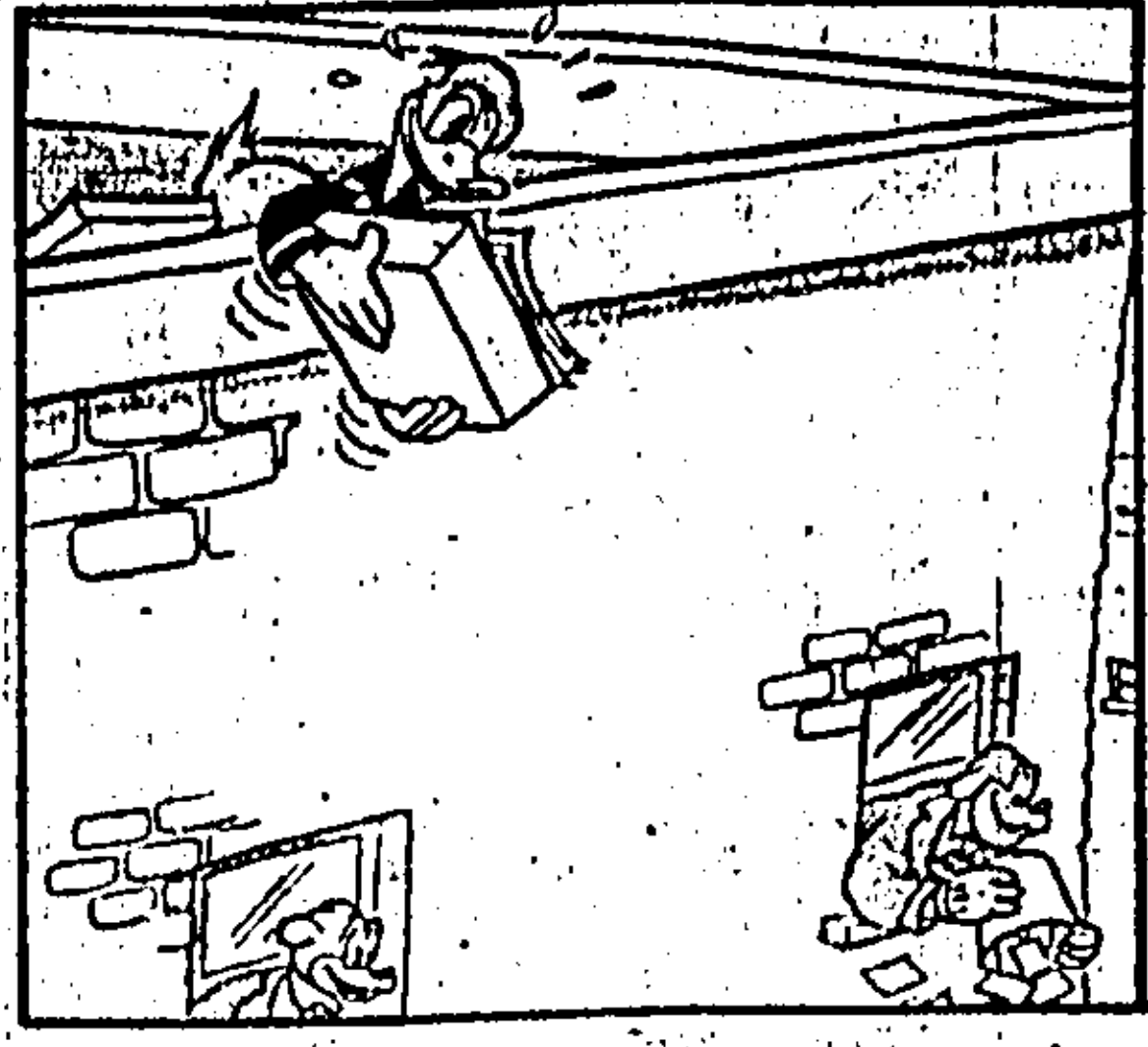
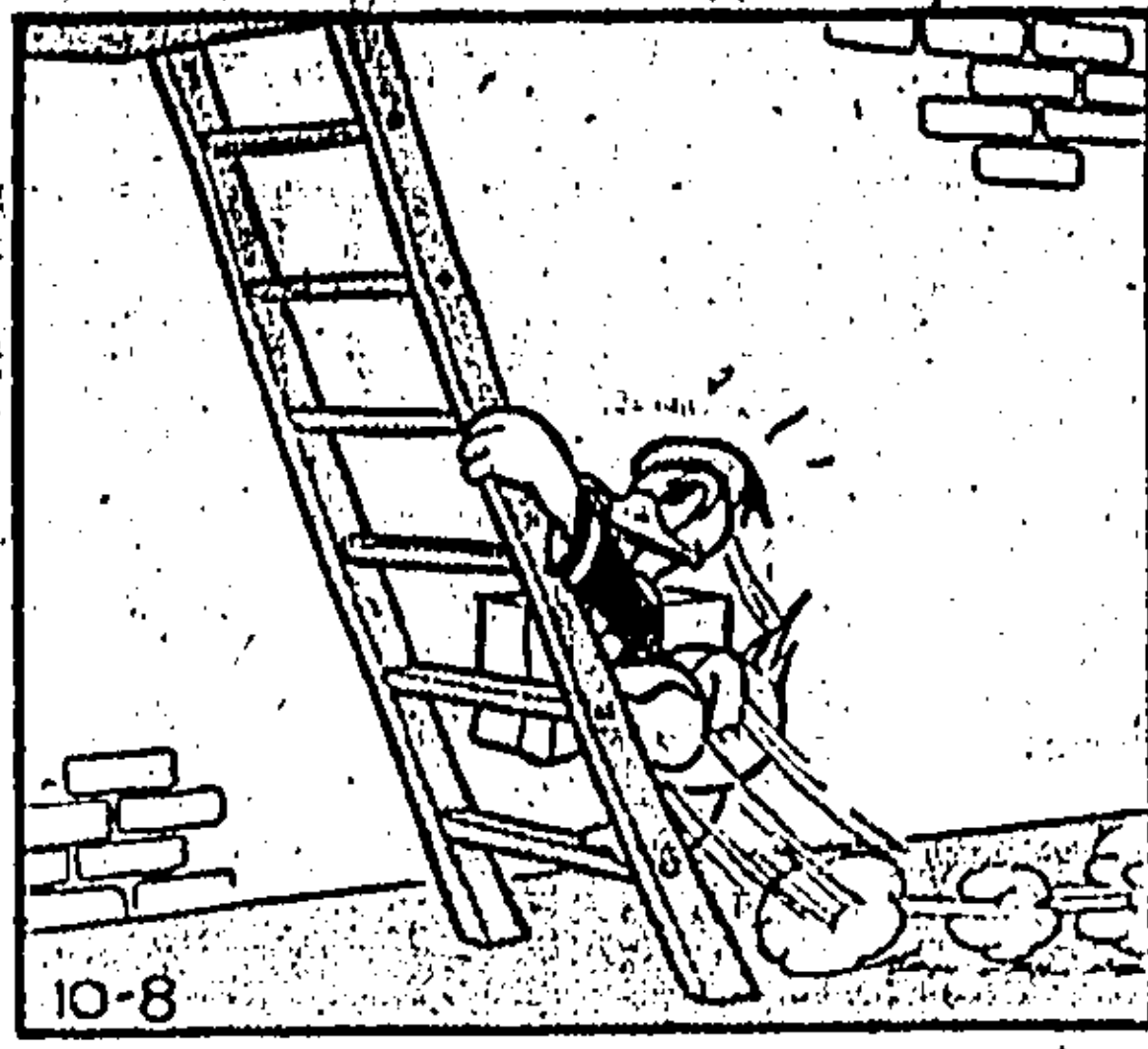
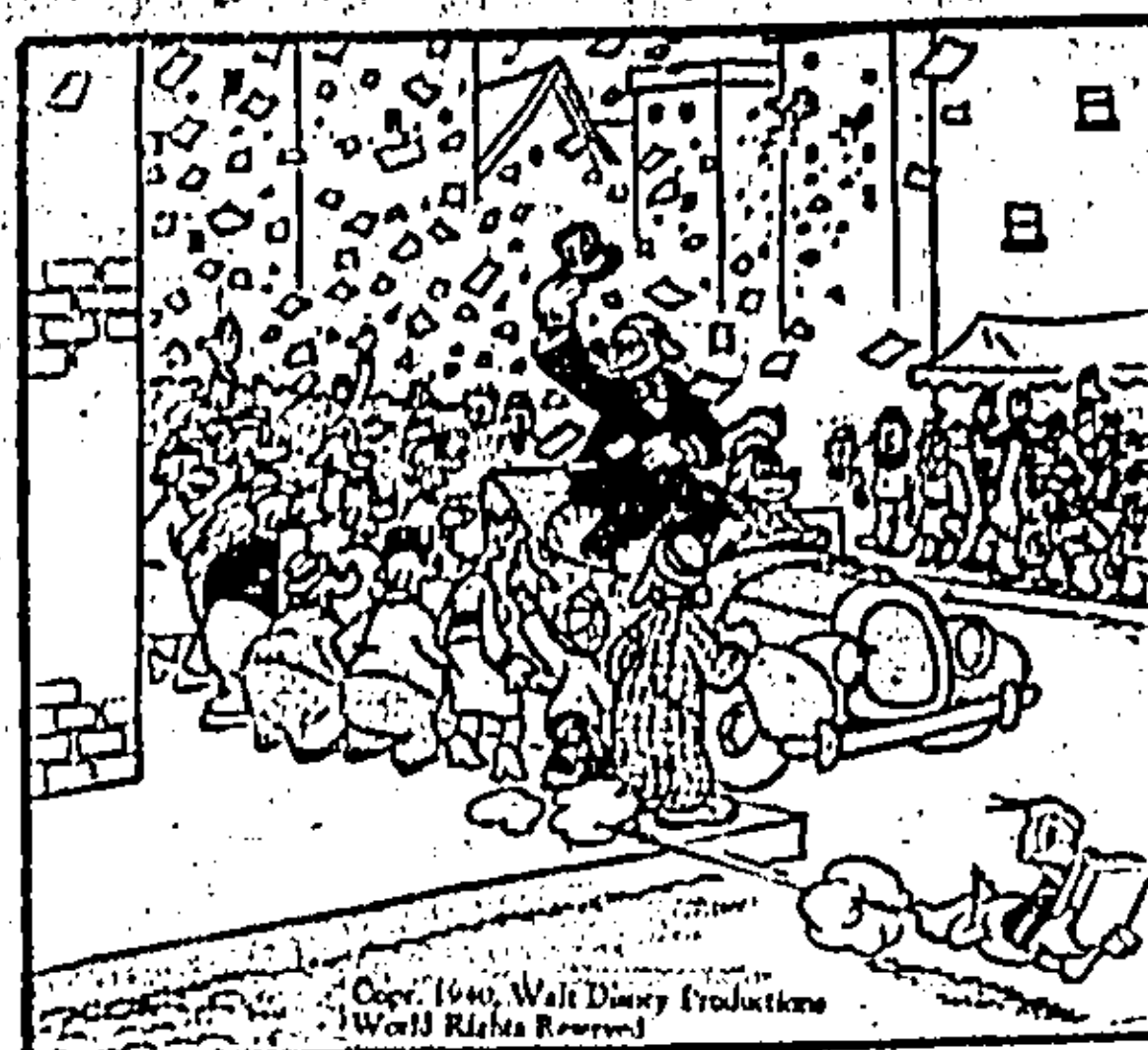
Donations above this amount will be welcomed and both subscriptions and donations acknowledged by the Treasurer, J. F. Macgregor, Esq.

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MAGAZINE PAGE

H. V. MORTON on a Home Guard Patrol . .

"Enemy Airmen have landed"

IT was ten o'clock, and I was going to bed.

I had done all the things we do in 1940. I had listened to the nine o'clock news; I had relieved the car of its distributor arm; I had walked round the house looking for chinks in the black-out curtains; I had cast a morose eye at the stirrup pumps and at the buckets of sand and water.

Glancing up at the quiet sky, clear of cloud, I saw the gold flush of a rising moon, and I thought, "more raids to-night." Then I went indoors.

I was standing in my bedroom putting out my Home Guard uniform at the foot of the bed. I attached braces to the cheap, sharp brass buttons of the trousers, set out a pair of step-in boots, and loaded the six chambers of my revolver.

I wondered whether we were living in a penny dreadful or in some romantic period of the world's history on which future ages will glance back with envy and excitement.

Then I paused and listened as the rattle of a motor-cycle came down the lane. Instead of going on, the sound came up to the house and stopped.

I heard quick steps and a sharp rap on the door. Who could it be?

After nightfall we are locked away among dark woods and silence, and every sudden call is a mystery until the door is opened. Switching off the lights, I threw open a window and saw a young officer in a tin hat standing below.

"Can I see you for a moment, sir?" he asked. "Enemy airmen have landed near here."

Now, I had been feeling tired and every day my ago. I became suddenly wide-awake and full of energy. I flew into my denims and was downstairs facing a pink lieutenant, who treated me as if I were a centenarian; which was irritating, because I now felt no older than eighteen.

He explained that five, or perhaps seven, enemy airmen had been seen to bale out over the district as dusk was falling. Troops had blocked all roads. Could I, he asked apologetically, get my Home Guards to go across country to a certain place?

"Yes, I'll take them there myself," I replied eagerly.

"Oh, really, sir, that's most frightfully good of you," he said, like a schoolboy thanking an uncle for a ten-shilling note.

In a few moments dark figures were meeting under the big elm tree. It was bright enough for me to recognise little Harry, big Frank, George, Jack, and some of the other men, who wear the Mens Star on their uniforms.

"Load," I said, "and put over your safety catches." There was the crisp ker-look of opened bolts, the tinkle of falling

LIFE IN 1940

climb, and the ker-look of closed bolts. We then moved off in single file, stealing like shadows up the line and across stubble fields, where we spread out in extended order.

It was a glorious night, a great moon lifting a serene face over a curved field, a moon not even mildly interested in Man.

Why have lovers, I wondered, always interpreted the moon's expression as one of sympathy? It is an expression of complete detachment. Neither love nor hate can interest the moon.

Hedges rose against the sky as if drawn in blackest ink. Stubble stretched away, white and brittle, and from it came a warm, sweet smell that has the end of summer in it.

Now and again we stopped to listen, moving on again with no sound but the soft swish of our boots among the corn stalks.

How lightly life is now poised on the needle's point, I thought, the ordinary and the incredible side by side, separated only by a split second.

A few moments ago I had been going to bed; now I was moving over moonlit fields, every sense alive, with a loaded revolver at my belt.

It was incredible, like something one had read long ago in "The Boy's Own Paper," preposterously juvenile, yet, at the same time, terribly real and tragic.

Stop! Harry comes up and whispers hoarsely: "Oughtn't we to beat Badger's Cope?"

"Right, Harry, you go in with Frank and we'll creep up and wait for you."

They melt into the wood in which they have ferreted, trapped and shot since they were small boys. We kneel like shadows at the dark edge.

Suppose the Germans came out now! What would happen? If they got tough they would get more than they expected; if they quietly surrendered—well, I suppose we should give them cigarettes and lead them home to a drink until the police came for them.

Funny, weird, ridiculous business to be going on by moonlight on the sand, sweet harvest fields of England.

And what would they feel like, I wondered, to fall from the skies into a quiet English home among women and little children upon whom, a few hours before, they were ready to drop their loads of death.

I suppose if airmen could see and know their victims, perhaps they would make a point of "falling to locate their objectives."

The two figures climbed out of the wood. Nothing there, they said. So we went on into the blackness of a hollow and out into a green wash of moonlight, where a cottage stood, dark, silent and asleep.

We searched the sheds. My torch revealed in turn a barrel, a pair of gum-boots, a bicycle and a pink-eyed ferret in a cage.

"Na, I ain't seen no Germans, nor has anybody else, I reckon. I was out with the tractor till dark, and no Germans came down this way, that I can swear to."

Still, we search the barns, the stables, the out-houses and the rick yards, and the wavering moons of our torches move over the picturesque disarray of farm implements, old hay-carts, chaff-cutters, and the like.

Harry and George climb upon a mound of hay and prod about in it; and I am reminded of some story, read long ago, of Roundheads searching for Cavaliers.

It is a picture I shall never forget, the green light spilling down from roofs, the pitch-blackness of the barns and sheds, the old beams, the grey shadows of rats melting noiselessly away, and the figures of the patrol, in heroic silhouette, moving with rifles at the high port.

WE cover the last half mile slowly, creeping over the curved fields, watching the hedgerows, searching the copses; then below us we see the dark line of the road.

As we climb over a gate, a sharp voice cries "Halt!" and we walk up to be recognised by a sentry.

A brown lorry is drawn up in the hedge. The moonlight slides over—bayonets. The troops are standing listlessly. A pink lieutenant detaches himself from the shadows and comes forward.

"It's most frightfully good of you, sir, to have done this. I do hope you're not too tired."

Too tired, he hangs his head. I could go on like this all night.

"I'm afraid you're going to be most awfully sick with me, sir," he continues. "I've just had news to call in my men, because the Germans have been captured at Bagworthy Major."

Seven miles away! I suppose they were blown over in the dark. What bad luck! Still, never mind. We've done our stuff.

The combined local knowledge of farmer, poacher, and sportsman was pooled for a moment, in order to hunt the invader from a little bit of England.

As we wander back down the moonlit lanes, we talk of this and that.

"Well, if they had been hereabouts, we'd have had 'em sure enough," says Harry.

And we all agree, as we unload under the elm tree and go home to bed.

Norwegian "Go Slow" Drive

Passive Resistance

BASLE, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—

A movement is growing among officials in Norway to demonstrate disrespect for their new masters, according to the Stockholm correspondents of newspapers.

The "National Zeitung" reports that all officials of the administrative district of Brandu were dismissed for "go slow" conduct and that the administration of the district has been completely dislocated.

Similar disobedience is reported from many other parts of Norway.

Volunteer and Chinese In Collision

Corporal K. Mitchell of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, was injured yesterday morning when, about 9 a.m., he collided with a Chinese pedestrian on the Causeway Road. Mitchell received injuries to the left thigh and the Chinese also being injured, both were taken to the Rowland Hospital, where they were admitted for treatment.

FUNNY SIDE UP By Abner Dean



Pilot Tells Of Kiel Raid

AN R.A.F. pilot who bombed Kiel naval dockyard from 800 feet described how he was trapped in a terrific anti-aircraft barrage.

The raiders caused heavy explosions, culminating in huge fires.

"We flew along at about 13,000 feet and then came round slightly east of the target," said a pilot.

"One searchlight picked us up, and then suddenly we seemed to be in the centre of the biggest collection of A.A. bursts and searchlights I have ever seen.

"They all came on at once—just as though somebody had pushed over a switch.

"From my height I could definitely make out the shape of the Mole.

"I decided to take the odd chance, and we went down in a dive to 800 feet.

"We got up a dickens of a speed.

"When we got down to about 8,000 they had about 15 searchlights on us.

"The heavy 'flak' (anti-aircraft fire) had been coming up all the time, and now the light 'flak' started.

"It just came straight up at us. I have never seen so much before.

"I thought we couldn't go back, having got so far, so we just carried on.

"I Was Blinded"

"Now and then I was able to catch a glimpse of the Mole in front of us.

"It was impossible to say for certain whether there was a ship there or not.

"I saw a long dark shape to the west of it that certainly looked like a ship.

"We just carried on diving. "I gave the order to release the bombs at 800 feet.

"Then straight away we shot down to 100 feet over the Mole and just above the water.

"There seemed to be more searchlights than ever. At times I was blinded.

"It was impossible to see the results of the bombing.

"Suddenly in front of me, I saw a lot of trees coming up straight ahead.

"One of the searchlights, flattening out to try to catch us, had illuminated them, just in time for me to see them.

"I pulled the aircraft up, and we went over the top.

Away At Last

"The trouble was we didn't dare go up too high, because as soon as we did every gun in the place started opening up.

"We must have stayed over the town for about ten minutes, just charging backwards and forwards trying to get away.

"Practically all the time we were at about 100 feet.

"We went south, zig-zagging all the time.

"We got about 15 miles away; and then, although we were being shot at, we were able to gain height.

"As we went up we had to take violent evasive action all the time. Finally we got away.

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Takao Maru (starts from Kobe)	17th Nov.	
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Kamo Maru	Wednesday, 27th Nov.	
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Onoe Maru	Tuesday, 10th Dec.	
KANGAROO & CALCUTTA via Singapore.		
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Nagato Maru	Sunday, 17th Nov.	
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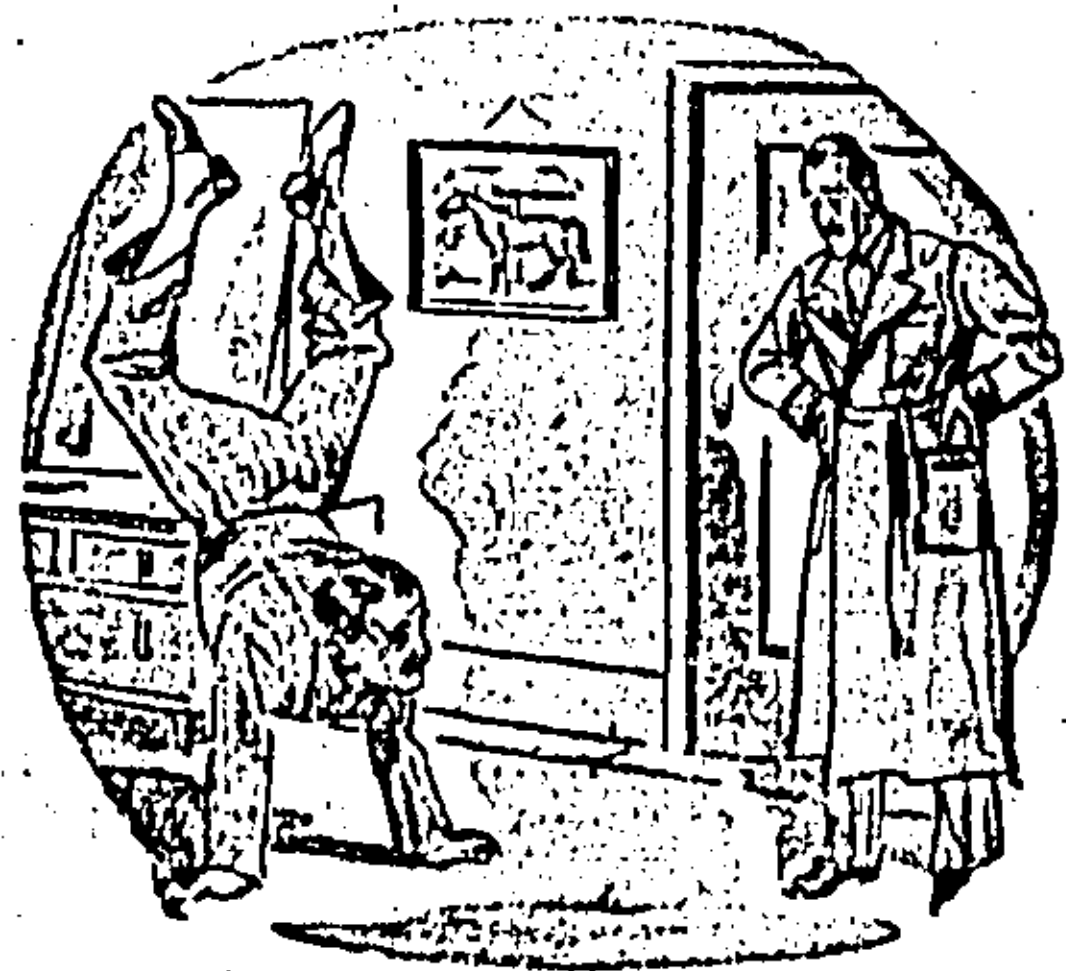
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QUO VADIS, JAPAN?

THE thoughts of responsible
people in the Far East are again
centred on South China where
events are reported to be hap-
pening which, if only some of
them are true, portend new ac-
tivities menacing the security
and status quo of one or more
of the national units in the
South and China Seas.

It is not politic to put into
blunt words what many people
fear; it is not wise to guess at
what may happen, because
alarmists are undesirable and
prophecs are ill-informed. One
may speculate endlessly on the
reasons for the Japanese with-
drawal from the strong, if
economically unjustified garri-
sons they held in Kwangsi and
Kwangtung, and the subsequent
concentration of their troops in
Hainan.

Japan appears to have found
it profitable to follow Hitlerian
methods in undermining the
sovereignty of Indo-China.
What was accomplished so easily
in that case will certainly
tempt them to try again else-
where. There is little to gain in
China at the present time and
by retaining Canton and the
Pearl River, the invader is keep-
ing open the door for re-entry
when the time is appropriate.
Besides, the Japanese navy can
always smash up Chinese coastal
and riparian units and land
heavy forces because of its un-
disputed control of the sea.

What better opportunity then
presents itself for another coup
in the south? Thailand is weak
and, since the Japanese pen-
etration of Indo-China, Thailand
is doubly vulnerable. The Dutch
East Indies are well garrisoned
and protected by a small fleet.
But could they successfully re-
sist a strong attack backed up
by naval aircraft, battleships
and submarines? Once inside
the country, the Japanese would
find thousands of their own
citizens, in addition to thou-
sands of able-bodied Germans
now interned, to help in keep-
ing in action the productive and
administrative machinery with
which, no doubt, they are fami-
liar.

It is to be hoped that Japan plans
no such grab. Indeed there are good
reasons why she should not in-
terfere in her attempt to seek the
oil, rubber and other goods which

RUTHLESS NAZI PLUNDERING IN OCCUPIED COUNTRIES

Day by day the Ger-
mans are plundering the
countries they have en-
slaved. They make no
bones about it. It is un-
fitting, Dr. Ley has de-
clared, that Poles should
presume to have the
same standards of life
as the Germans. The
standard of living of the
Dutch must be lowered,
writes the *Deutsche*
Volkswirt, if the con-
quered country is to
supply Germany with
food. We, Germans, says
the *Volkischer Beobach-
ter* in the true Goebbels
style, have as much in-
terest in the French
harvest as the French
themselves. The econ-
omic system of Europe
must be organised, says
Dr. Funk, to guarantee
to the German people
the highest possible
standard of well-being.

Everywhere the purpose
is the same, to turn the en-
slaved peoples into helots in
the service of the German
Herrenvolk; the lordly ones,
the master bullies. The pro-
mised golden age is one in
which all other nations will
be placidly agricultural,
hewers of wood and drawers
of water for the Nordic en-
gineers, mechanised war-
riors and men of science.
That is for the future. But
for the moment there is no
pretence at laying the founda-
tions even for that cheer-
less future. The Germans'
chief concern so far has been
to plunder and to stock their
own granaries at the ex-
pense of their oppressed
peoples.

In every country which they
have over-run they have com-
menced outright nearly all
the food reserves and have
ordered the slaughtering of
much of the livestock.
During this week alone, Sep-
tember 16 to 22, Germany is
taking over 17,000 sheep from
Denmark, 15,000 for immediate
slaughter, 2,000 for grazing.
Over 11,000 head of cattle are

being taken from Den-
mark to the Western districts of the Reich. Holland lost nine-
tenths of her large butter re-
serves in a week. Out of
28,000,000 poultry in the Nether-
lands 22,000,000 are being killed
this autumn.
"The slaughtering of pigs in that
Holland," says the *Koelnische*
Zeitung, "is being accelerated."
The meat which cannot be sold in
Holland will be sent to Germany
"where more storage space is
available," a neat way of saying
that Germany will take the lot,
as she has begun to do.

Only the other day came the
German wireless boast that Ger-
many had taken 43,000,000kgs.
of early potatoes from Holland
within three months—whereas,
the wireless added, Holland's
exports of early potatoes to all
countries in the world amounted
to no more than 27,000,000kgs.
Government would point to the
in a normal three-months period.
German debt owing to them and
From the enslaved countries
2,000,000 tons of wheat to her
own reserves; and has just de-
manded 780,000 tons from
France.

What often happens in these
pre-war days that encouraged
the Reich to take what they want
and promise to pay for it in
services later at their own price
and in their own local currency,
while at the same time prohibi-
ting any compensatory rise in prices.
A German concern, using doubly
or trebly over-valued marks,
can therefore purchase goods
for a mere song and shares in
local industries for a trifle.

Slaughter of Stocks

These are only a few of the
statistical examples that have
come recently of a process that
is general and continuous. From
Norway, Denmark, Holland, Bel-
gium, and now from both halves
of France, comes evidence of
general decrees for the com-
mandeering or the slaughtering
of stock. From Norway Ger-
many takes 200 tons of fish
daily. From Belgium she takes
all the available eggs, and Bel-
gian producers have been warned
of penalties should they try to
sell without a German-controlled
licence. Exports of herrings
from several countries have dis-
appeared; all are to go to Ger-
many. Out of the Bohemian
Protectorate the Germans are
taking wheat by the wagon
load. Even the depleted Polish
stocks are systematically raided.
The story is often told of
how Blucher, fresh from Water-
loo, looked at London from the
dome of St. Paul's. "Was fur
Plunder!" he was heard to mut-
ter under his breath. What a
city to plunder—the Germans of
today say it aloud as they gaze
round their oppressed countries,
so badly. True, he is short of
their manner of getting what
they want varies from place to
place. In Bohemia and in Po-
land in the first days they used
the methods of loot pure and
simple. Wheat and other food
were piled high on wagons and
driven away. Elsewhere they
have used forced labour, forced
sales, forced prices. Sometimes
there is a show of bartering.
The Germans always speak
genially of their bartering sys-
tem as though it recaptured the
simplicity and the brotherly
spirit of the days when Solomon
King of Tyre, who returned him
cedar trees and fir trees, accord-
ing to his desire.

Payment in Paper

At the moment its effects are
disguised. Shopkeepers and in-
dustrialists in the oppressed
countries sell goods to Germans
on demand, and in return
they receive either paper money
or Reich credit office vouchers,
which they can pass through
their own Central Bank, and in
return are given money in their
own currency. The seller is left
believing that he has not done
badly. True, he is short of
food and consumers' goods like
all the rest of his countrymen,
but he has money for his wallet
and can buy whatever is going.

What he as yet only dimly
realises is that the money is in-
substantial and inflationary. In
essence what is happening in
every enslaved country is that
the Germans are taking goods
out as fast as they can and are
putting only paper money in.
They are in control of all the
national Central Banks and
have ordered them to run off
measures of pure oil to Hiram,
more issues of their currency to
King of Tyre, who returned him
cedar trees and fir trees, accord-
ing to his desire.

THE RATIONING TABLE

The following table shows the disparity between Ger-
man rations and those of the enslaved peoples, figures being given
in ounces per week:—

	Bread	Meat	Sugar	Fats	Coffee
Germany	40	17½	20½	20½	3½ (substitute)
Protectorate	44	17½	20½	20½	2½
Poland	30	17½	20½	20½	2½
France	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted	Restricted
Denmark	30	17½	20½	20½	2½
Netherlands	30	17½	20½	20½	2½
Belgium	30	17½	20½	20½	2½

* Supplies usually not equal to official rations.

due to war and occupation. All
that is behind the new money is
a bundle of German bonds
(which in normal times the
Central Banks would not have
touched with a barge-pole) or
German promises to honour the
issue in the day of victory. It
is sheer inflation.

Nor is that all. The decep-
tion is greater. In all the op-
pressed countries the Reichs-
mark is over-valued; more goods
can be bought with it than it is
worth. Recently decrees have
aggravated the disproportion by
pushing down the value of the
local currency, while at the
same time prohibiting any com-
pensatory rise in prices. A
German concern, using doubly
or trebly over-valued marks,
can therefore purchase goods
for a mere song and shares in
local industries for a trifle.

The result in the unfortunate
countries concerned is that even
the little which seems fairly
good is deceptive. The whole
economy is on thin ice. A
crack or a thaw and the whole
thing collapses. Meanwhile Dr.
Schacht and Dr. Funk hope that
by filling Germany with goods
they will put off the day of un-
controlled inflation at home.

The Germans can manipulate
money and credit. They cannot
manipulate food. There are no
fake *Scheine* to take the place
of the supplies they have taken
out of the oppressed countries.
Proof of the lack already de-
veloping is seen in the compara-
tive rations for the Germans,
and for the people under their
control.

The ration cards do not tell
all the story, for many of the
oppressed people find that they
cannot buy even the amounts to
which they are limited. What
the ration cards show is that the
Germans are deliberately under-
feeding the people whom they
declare are under their protec-
tion. In almost every com-
modity the amount of food is
less outside the Reich than in-
side. In some instances those
"protected" are given less than
half of what is allowed to the
Germans.

Wherever the German oppres-
sion is examined it is found to
be based on ruthlessness, cynical
exploitation, deceit.

Losses And Thefts

Miss C. I. Clarke, a resident of the
Kingsville Hotel, Kowloon, has re-
ported to the Police the theft of vari-
ous articles from her room between
July 2 and November 6. The aggre-
gate value is given as \$90.
Mr. K. Weiss, of No. 94, Nathan
Road Kowloon, has reported that
\$54.10 worth of clothing was stolen
from his house yesterday.
Theft of \$67 in cash from his bed-
room yesterday evening, was reported
by Dr. H. L. Lee of No. 305, Cairne
Road.
Silver ornaments valued at \$150
were reported to have been stolen
from the residence of Mr. M. Ray-
mond, No. 505, Peak Road, yesterday.

Without Passport

Mr. Kias Schouten, a 28-year old
Hollander, appeared before Mr. G. T.
Lowry at the Central Magistracy on a
charge of having entered the Colony
without a passport.
Mr. Schouten, who is a resident of
the Colony, went to Macao without
taking out a visa to enable him to
re-enter the Colony. He pleaded
guilty and was fined \$20.

Quake Casualties

BUCHAREST, Nov. 13 (UP).—
Ninety-eight bodies have so far been
recovered from the Carlton apartment
house; thus, throughout the country,
the present (to) number of people
killed in the earthquake is 357.

AIR FIGHT OVER THE CHANNEL

Follows Savage Nazi Raids

Special to the "Telegraph"

LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Large squadrons of Hurricanes and Messerschmitts battled over the Channel this afternoon, after what was described as a savage dive bombing attack on southeast coast towns.

Hurricane fighters intercepted the tail end of the raiders and chased them over the Channel clouds where long bursts of machinegun fire were heard. Other raiders then joined in the battle.

Planes were seen climbing and diving over mid-Channel while additional British planes swept out over the cliffs in an attempt to cut off the Germans.

R.A.F. Strike Back
LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—A heavy explosion was heard from the direction of the French coast this afternoon, and it is believed that Royal Air Force bombers carried out a surprise attack on the occupied ports.

The detonation was heard just before Messerschmitt fighters dived-bombed two southern towns, killing four people in one town. Afterwards a German plane was seen spiralling towards the sea. Later British guns fired several salvos across the Straits of Dover.

Nazi Raids Ineffective
LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—Four German bombers have been destroyed during today's enemy raids which have been attempted over several parts of the country.

In none of these, says an Air Ministry communique, were many bombs dropped and scarcely any damage or casualties were caused anywhere.

London Raid
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
LONDON, Nov. 13 (7.50 p.m.).—(UP).—Soon after the night alarm at 6.30 p.m. three enemy planes tried to break the outer defences of the London area, but were driven off one after another by heavy anti-aircraft fire.

After this there was a long lull. Semi-official reports state that three German planes were destroyed over Britain to-day.

Shelter Hit
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—It is feared that several were killed including women and children when a bomb crashed into a public air raid shelter in which 80 persons were taking refuge. Rescue squads fought throughout the night to reach those who have been trapped, and they are still tunnelling.

St. Martin-in-the-Fields Hit
LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields was among the places damaged in a recent London air raid.

All the windows and one side of the building were blown in. Most of the 600 people in the crypt escaped. South Africa House was also damaged by the same bomb.

Out This Morning
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
LONDON, Nov. 14 (UP).—It was quiet early this morning (Thursday) following a brief night raid in which the preliminary reports show that only a few bombs were dropped on the London area. Eastern districts of England were also raided.

Truth About Gallabat

British In Occupation

LONDON, Nov. 13 (British Wireless).—Details to hand of the operations round Gallabat, on the border of the Sudan, show that the British took the place from the Italians, abandoned it and have now again occupied it.

Gallabat is a village with a little police fort and is not important in itself from a strategic point of view except as a useful jumping-off ground for raids either on the Sudan or Abyssinia and a spot where several caravan routes converge.

Italian occupation was summer made it a military objective, for they held it with one battalion with two supporting battalions at Metemba Metemba, one or two miles away across the Abyssinian frontier.

Italians Surprised
On November 6, British forces consisting mainly of Indian troops with a number of Britons, attacked and captured Gallabat. The Italians were taken by surprise and the capture only took 75 minutes although the official report that the British at first were repulsed after suffering substantial losses, and then the Italian Garrison was forced to fall back by superior numbers.

A counter attack supported by German battalions was successfully repelled by the British with the loss of 27 enemy killed.

Sudan Invasion Thwarted
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Military authorities here to-day announced that, following the British recapture of Gallabat, the Italian camp at Metemba, which is one or two miles away and whither the Italians withdrew, is being shelled by British artillery.

The reports state that munitions and stores assembled at the camp in preparation for an invasion of the Sudan are ample.

Convicted on a summons of having entered the controlled area in Nathan Road at a speed over 20 m.p.h. on October 19, A. W. Fowler, of 277, Prince Edward Road, was cautioned by Mr. Q. A. A. Macdonald at Kowloon Magistrate's Court to-day.

Raider Laid Mines Off Australia

MELBOURNE, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—It is now certain that a German raider laid the mines which sank a British and an American ship on Friday, stated Mr. William Hughes, the Navy Minister, to-day.

Mr. Hughes added that the mines were laid "quite recently."

The raider must be within a certain radius, and naval and air patrols were searching diligently.

HUNGARY IN AXIS GROUP
—Red Policy

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BUDAPEST, Nov. 13 (UP).—In the Parliament budget debate to-day, the Foreign Minister, Count Csaky, reviewing Hungary's foreign policy said, "Hungary remains unchanged side by side with Germany and Italy. This will keep us from the danger of war."

Count Csaky reiterated Hungary's desire to remain at peace in the Danube Basin, to seek appeasement with Russia and true friendship with Yugoslavia. He emphasized that relations with the Soviet were correct and normal and Hungary was striving to improve her economic relations with Russia and the building of a direct rail link with Russia.

The recently-initiated agreement provides that Japanese importers purchase crude oil at the rate of 700,000 tons annually and oil products at the rate of 540,000 tons.

This will be in addition to about 494,000 tons of various oil products regularly shipped by oil companies here.

Food For Spain

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"
WASHINGTON, Nov. 13 (UP).—The United States Government is giving attention to the possibility of assisting Spain with supplies of food-stuffs and other materials when shortages occur, Mr. Sumner Welles disclosed to-day.

No decisions have yet been made and supplies are largely a matter for the American Red Cross.

Netherlands Oil For Japan

Annual Supply Assured

BATAVIA, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The Netherlands Oil Company will henceforth be supplying Japan with over 1,800,000 tons of oil and oil products annually.

The recently-initiated agreement provides that Japanese importers purchase crude oil at the rate of 700,000 tons annually and oil products at the rate of 540,000 tons.

This will be in addition to about 494,000 tons of various oil products regularly shipped by oil companies here.

Secession Of Nazis From Civilisation

Amery On New Barbarism

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—"We are fighting against secession, as Nazidom is, in effect, a war of secession from European civilisation," said Mr. L. M. S. Amery, Secretary for India, speaking at a National Defence of Public Interests Committee luncheon to-day. Lord Nathan presided.

Mr. Amery said that the culture and ideals given by Greece, Rome, Christianity and the Middle Ages were all directly challenged by the new barbarism.

"It is because the issues go so deep, because this total war is not in methods only but between irreconcilable principles which are contending for victory, that no compromise is possible," he added.

Referring to the failure of German air attacks on Britain, Mr. Amery said that we hardly realized that from day to day young British airmen had won one of the world's historic battles—a battle which, he thought, would figure in the last.

Word To Mussolini
Mr. Amery described Mussolini as the victim of an illusion that he was destined to restore the greatness of ancient Rome, "but he forgot that Rome grew not by sheer force of character and circumstances. He has also forgotten that even before ancient Rome there was ancient Greece and that the spirit of ancient Greece still lives in Greece to-day."

Mr. Amery was "loudly cheered" when he referred to the British success against the Italian Fleet. "It is something to go on with," said Mr. Amery. "Wars are won by daring."

6 MORE CONVOY SHIPS SAFE

Only Three Remain Missing

Special to the "Telegraph"

LONDON, Nov. 13 (UP).—Six more ships of the convoy which was attacked by a surface raider on November 5 have reached port safely.

Thus only three ships of the convoy are still missing.

The ships saved are the St. Gervais, Sturholm, Cetus, Trefusis, Puck and Sovac.

Gallant Jervis Bay
LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—An official communique re-tells, in re-trained language, of the action in which the Jervis Bay was sunk.

It discloses that the Jervis Bay was hit very early and although she was partly out of control and seriously on fire, she continued to take the pounding of enemy guns for an hour in pursuance of the Captain's intention to draw the enemy's fire away from the ships in convoy while the latter dispersed.

The Jervis Bay sank about three hours after the enemy's fire had started.

Ninety Survivors Safe
ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—Ninety survivors of four of the ships which the German surface raider sank in the Atlantic arrived here to-day.

They were found drifting in life-boats some 30 hours after the ships sank. Most of them were sparsely clad and said that they had had a "wretched time" in the heavy weather which the life-boats encountered.

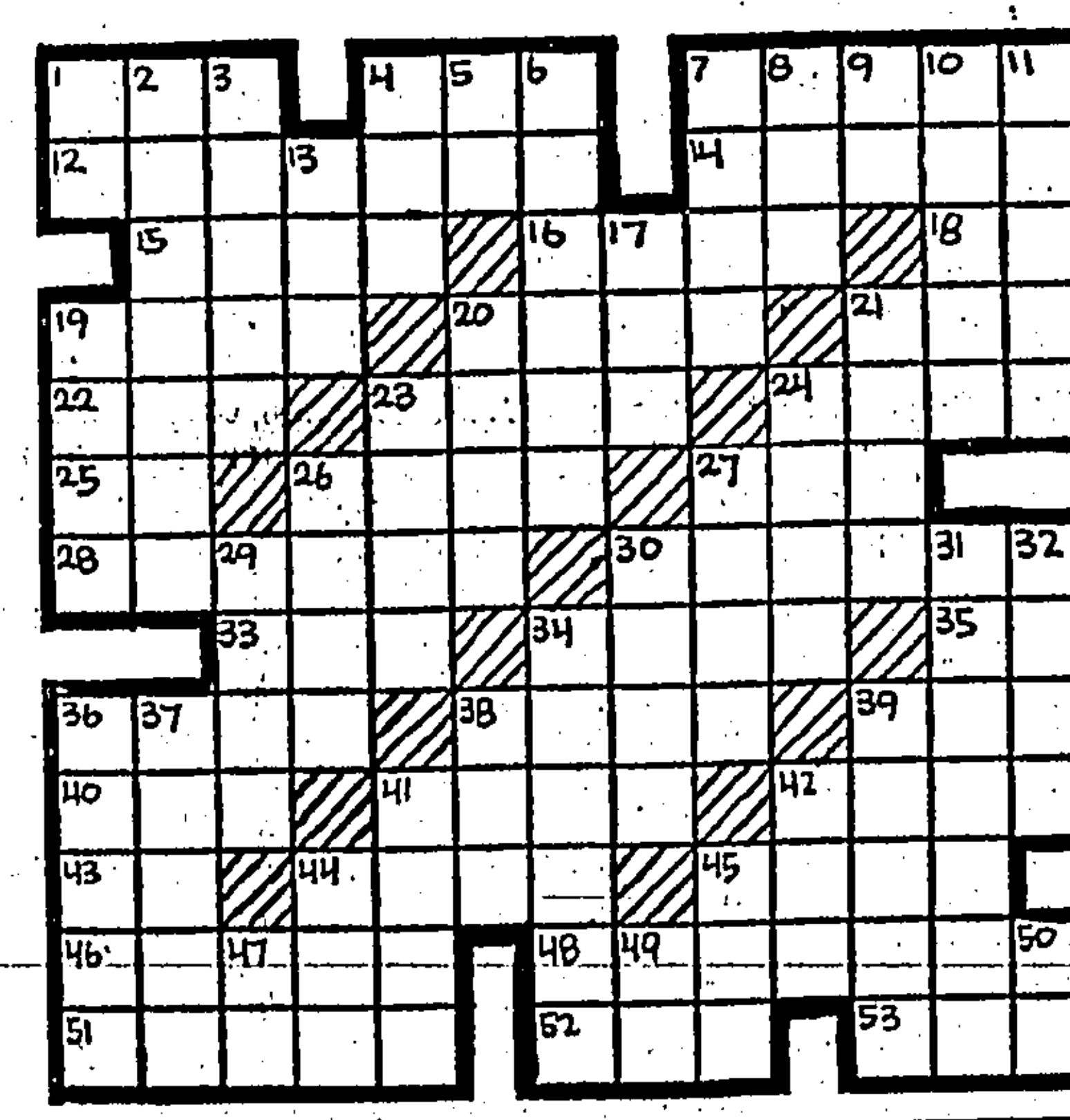
Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

ACROSS
1—Small worm
2—Knock
3—Trading place
4—Novice
5—Wading bird
6—Medicinal plant
7—Pilot's error
8—On (French)
9—Adamant
10—Pond
11—Gardener of plants
12—Young goat
13—Tortoise
14—Concerning
15—English queen
16—Zodiacal place
17—Writ of execution
18—Permit
19—American coin
20—Tallness
21—Small globe
22—Chinese god
23—Preside
24—Hurried
25—Join closely
26—European range
27—Suitor; one who
28—Philippine Malay
29—On summit
30—Strong man of Turkey
31—Ductile

DOWN
1—Bottom of feet (pl.)
2—Grain
3—Near
4—Bearing of horse
5—Shanty
6—Treaty
7—Drying
8—Otherwise
9—Outfit
10—Outing out
11—Small
12—Butter
13—Butter
14—Butter
15—Mountain lion
16—Join closely
17—Zodiacal
18—Old
19—Tools over
20—Spit
21—Put together
22—Put in dots
23—Arrangements
24—Pierce canal
25—Fractured
26—Consumed
27—Snake
28—Swedish manual
29—Pleat
30—Suit of (abbr.)
31—Girl's name
32—Girl's name
33—Doctor (abbr.)
34—Suitor; one who
35—Printer's measure



CHARITY WORKER NEARLY FAILS IN ORGANISING APPEAL

(THINKS) ONLY ANOTHER FEW WEEKS AND YET THERE ARE SO MANY DETAILS TO FIX UP

MISS ATKINSON, WILL YOU DEPUTIZE FOR ME AT THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE TO-MORROW. I FEEL SO TIRED AND EXHAUSTED.

YES, BUT DON'T YOU THINK YOU OUGHT TO SEE A DOCTOR?

AT THE DOCTOR'S
IN YOUR CASE ALSO THIS HAS LED TO AN EXCESS OF ACID WASTE PRODUCTS IN THE BLOOD. RECENT TESTS HAVE PROVED THAT HORLICKS AT BEDTIME IS WHAT YOU NEED.

SO HORLICKS EVERY NIGHT

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THE CONTRIBUTIONS EXCEED LAST YEAR'S TOTAL BY SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS, THANKS TO OUR ENERGETIC ORGANIZER.

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Take HORLICKS

THEN YOU WILL SLEEP SOUNDLY—WAKE REFRESHED AND HAVE EXTRA ENERGY ALL DAY.

HOSPITAL WEEK

AT THE DOCTOR'S
... I EVEN WAKE UP TIRED

YOUR TROUBLE IS NIGHT STARVATION. YOU SEE, WHILE YOU SLEEP, YOUR HEART, LUNGS AND OTHER AUTOMATIC PROCESSES CONTINUE USING UP ENERGY.

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Government Asked To Let R.A.F. Visit Rome

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—As Italians are now participating in the bombing of London, Capt. H. H. Balfour, Under-Secretary for Air, was pressed in the House of Commons to-day on the question of bombing Rome.

Capt. Balfour referred to his previous statement in which he declared that the Government had taken note of the Italian admission that their aircraft had participated in the London bombing and must, therefore, reserve full liberty of action in regard to Rome.

Bologna Raided
LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—British planes have attacked Bologna, Italy, according to a Bologna dispatch to the German news agency.

Mr. Chamberlain's Remains Cremated
LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—The remains of Mr. Neville Chamberlain were privately cremated in London to-day.

There was no service or ceremony and only two members of his household were present.

Arrangements for the funeral were not yet announced.

"Pilgrim's" Hockey Notes

Hard Hitting And Dribbling Country Club "At Home"

Emphasis On Footwork For Beginners

Match With Kowloon Golf Club Arranged For December 1

POOR HITTING is usually the outcome of bad habits acquired at the beginning of a hockey player's career, and although hockey is by no means a game of hard hitting, it demands, on occasions, that the full power of the body and the arms should be exerted in the execution of a stroke. The real art of hitting, therefore, is important to acquire.

The stroke should come well from the shoulder and the body swung into the blow, and as the stick must not rise above the shoulder, either in the forward or backward motion, it should be swung with a circular action and low around the body.

Correct footwork leads to correct hitting. Do not have the ball too near the body, which is permitted to get right over the ball but not allow the correct drive. Another thing is to give the wrists full play.

Dribbling

THERE is nothing finer in hockey to watch than clever forward play, and the methods of control in this is to keep the ball close to the stick, being thus ever ready to pass in the right direction. Use of the reverse stick is as essential as footwork, for one must be quick on one's feet.

It may be of interest to the younger generation to know that for years after the formation of the English Hockey Association in 1880, the rules as then carefully drawn up have, with one exception, remained almost intact.

The original stick rule was that the whole of it must be capable of passing through a ring of 2½ inches diameter. At the end of the 1880-87 season the rule was altered that all sticks must pass through a two-inch ring.

The Reason

THE ideal of the Legislators in those days was to encourage dribbling and make the game more scientific by the prevention, as far as possible, of reckless slopping.

SPORTS ADVT.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE ELEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 16th November, 1940, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE
No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including taxi) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27704) will close at 11.45 a.m.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 21920).

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE
The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Seamen in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.
Hongkong, 11th November, 1940.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

ELEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING,
16th November, 1940

HANDICAP WEIGHTS
Race No. 4: New Bridge Handicap—First Section.

Race No. 5: Castle Peak Handicap—First Section.

Race No. 6: New South Wales Handicap.

Weights in the above have been reduced 5 lb. all round.

The correct weights will appear in the Race Book.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.
Hongkong, 11th November, 1940.

RECREIO DEFEAT CLUB 1-0

FIELDING rather a weak team in their friendly fixture against Recreio last Tuesday, Club suffered defeat 1-0. Recreio started off with a great rush, and Club weakened through the absence of T. Whitley, Bickford and McLellan, were forced on the defensive.

Within ten minutes, F. X. Sequeira made a splendid run down the left, and after beating two opponents, scored with a fine cross drive which had Benwell well beaten.

Club then rallied and held their own until the interval.

Following the change-over, Club forwards were combining better, and on two occasions E. Fowler just missed the goal by inches.

Although their opponents enjoyed the better of the exchanges in this half, Recreio were always on the alert and broke through in two raids that caused Club's defence much anxiety.

In the last five minutes Club played hard and fast for the equaliser, but bad light which prevailed was a handicap. Neither team could hardly see the ball.

SPEEDY FORWARDS.
RECREIO forwards were a speedy lot, and followed up well. J. Fonseca was the best of the halves, but should have been pulled up more often for "sticks." J. Goncalves and E. L. Gosano were a safe pair of backs who very rarely allowed the Club forwards through.

For the home side, E. Fowler was prominent, while the other forwards ever could not get settled on the left wing, while it has to be recorded that the defence in general were shaky. W. A. Reed was the only one who gave a sound display at centre-half.

The Club's Secretary will have to do something to see that his players are on time. At 5.15 p.m. the home team were two short. Bad light starts to set in at 5.45 p.m.

Week-End Cricket Teams

The following will represent Hongkong C.C. against Recreio seniors in a friendly cricket match on Saturday at Chater Road at 2 p.m.:
H. Owen-Hughes (Capt.), C. W. E. Bishop, N. D. Baker, S. L. C. E. Grose, T. C. Finney, J. C. C. Matthews, D. O. Pearce, J. C. Pearce, T. A. Pearce and C. D. N. Walker.

RECREIO TEAMS
The following will represent Recreio seniors:
W. A. Reed (Capt.), H. L. Ozerio, L. G. Gosano, J. M. Gosano, G. N. Gosano, E. M. L. Soares, N. A. Beltrac, A. M. Prata, H. A. Barros, M. A. Remedios and M. Mendonca.

The following will represent Recreio juniors against Diocesan Boys' School on Saturday at King's Park at 2 p.m.:
F. A. R. Alves, E. L. Gosano, A. M. Rodrigues, P. M. N. da Silva, B. T. Gosano, J. C. Fonseca, A. Soares, B. T. Gosano, A. M. Remedios, A. N. Other and A. N. Other.

International XI

The following will represent International A.C. in their Third Division League Football match against 20th. R. A. on Saturday at King's Park at 2 p.m.:
Mak Young-fai, V. M. Marques and D. Aquino, W. Wilkinson, A. Bond, W. H. R. Rocha and W. Sprinkle (Capt.). Reserves: A. Rocha, L. Castilho, A. Elarte and W. Ascock.

CLUB "A" BEAT NAVY 17-3

Several First Fifteen Players Included In Civilians' Team

(By "Fly-half")

WITH VOLUNTEER DUTIES and one thing and another, Club seem to have difficulty in fielding a real "A" side, and with several of the 1st XV players on view last night, they had things pretty much their own way to defeat a Navy side by 17 points (four tries and a goal) to 3 points (a penalty goal).

In the first half, with McGill (Navy) marking Thompson, the result was that both checked in their efforts, but with the change-over, Navy put McGill inside left-threequarter against Aitkenhead, and Club rearranged their side:

Morgan went to scrum-half, and Clemo, who had done quite well in that position, went to wing-three, from where Taylor went to inside-three in place of Hynes, who went up to fly-half.

With Aitkenhead holding McGill, the result was that both checked in their efforts, but with the change-over, Navy put McGill inside left-threequarter against Aitkenhead, and Club rearranged their side:

defence of the Navy prevented further tries.

SOUND DISPLAY
RECREIO for Club gave another sound display of fielding and kicking.

Thompson accepted his opportunities well, except in the second cross-kick from Taylor, when, although over, he gave up after knocking on in the goal area, forgetting that it is no infringement of the rules.

Taylor, as an inside, went too high in his kicking, and as a result, a hand-off or two from McGill, quick thinking by him, resulted in two tries, one when he threw in from the touch in a quick fashion with only Need-



A. E. Perry (driving) with L. Jack, A. W. Ramsay and E. C. Fincher at the Country Club last Sunday during the "At Home"—Staff Photographer.

TOURNAMENT GAMES

The Better Team Lose By Bad Shooting Sound Defence Wins The Match

C.B.A. 2 A. N. Other XI 0 Police "B" 3 Gunboats 2

RANK BAD SHOOTING alone cost the Others a point at King's Park last Sunday. They were the equals of C.B.A. in everything but goals. They were decidedly the better team in the first half, but their forwards, especially Spence and McGahan, repeatedly advanced down the field only to waste their goal-scoring chances by wretched shooting.

C.B.A. were less conspicuous but their forwards did manage to take two good chances. Others lacked a personality that could knit the team together, and often their passes from a solid defence went astray. However, the home defence was the best part of the side. Saxby, at right back, played a grand game, and McLellan, at centre-half, was the mainstay of a set of hard-working halves.

In general, the forwards showed a complete lack of shooting power, and did not even look like scoring.

IMPROVEMENT

C.B.A. improved in the second half. C. Smith scored a good goal just before the interval, and F. Fowler the second just before the end of the game.

For some unknown reason, the Others took it for granted that on the day's play C.B.A. were worth only one goal, and after the second goal was signalled, a centre-bully instead. One minute later the game ended.

The visitors' attack was inconspicuous, with Smith the best. Wooler, though slow, was a useful inside-half, but E. Fowler could not work an understanding with his inside men.

The changes made in defence in the second half proved very successful, and C.B.A. were definitely superior. Ure and N. Whitley were the best defenders.

TAKING THE RUN of the game played at Boundary Street last Sunday, Gunboats ought not to have lost. They had as much of the attacking, but again that bugbear of the forwards—bad finishing—was again apparent, and it lost them at least the equalising goal. At the same time, the sounder defence of the Police must be taken into account and afforded full credit.

Robust tackling, hard hitting, and "sticks" was the order of the day, but both teams were evenly matched, with the Police a shade better in stickwork.

The home team, showing plenty of dash, broke through the Navy defence, and Narwant Singh scored within ten minutes. Collard soon reduced the deficit, but Chanan Singh scored a second before "lemon time."

In the second half, the exchanges were fought out evenly for a long time. Defence on both sides was strong, and many shots were cleared.

BETTER UP FORWARD

POLICE, however, by better forward play went further ahead through Narwant Singh, but Gunboats were not to be deterred and Gemmell, in a fine solo effort, beat Balwant Singh to reduce the score.

Towards the close, Gunboats were attacking strongly, but could not obtain the equaliser which they richly deserved.

For the Navy, Major Croft and Neal were sound in defence and saved their side time and again. Collard was a fine leader, and Gemmell revealed excellent form, but these two suffered a lot through lack of support.

For the Police, Narwant Singh, with good stickwork, led his attack well and received good support from Chanan Singh. Mehar Singh and Joginder Singh were good defenders.

Club Fifteen For Saturday

FOR their friendly game against the Army on Saturday, Club have made several changes. J. Thompson, Club's try-scoring scrum-half, is on the injured list and Morgan is given the position. Godfrey, after several good displays, is reinstated and will play wing-forward. Bosanquet, out of the team first of all because of a finger injury, comes back into his usual position on the right wing.

The team is:
Thompson, D. H. Stewart, G. G. Aitkenhead, D. G. Day, D. I. Bosanquet, J. C. Charter, Morgan, Hensman, I. M. Macrae, Hackett, Gairdner, C. F. Needham, Godfrey, A. J. G. Taylor and A. M. Kennedy.

ham and a Navy back there, resulting in the Club forward throwing himself over for a try, and the second occasion was when he cross-kicked to Thompson for the latter to dribble over to score when the opposite side were going the wrong way.

A SCHEMER
MORGAN was a schemer at stand-off half, and later at scrum half. TURN to Page 7, Column Two

BRILLIANT WEATHER attended the Annual "At Home" of the Country Golf Club, Sheungshiu, on Sunday last, and the occasion was made all the more successful by the record number of friends and members who were present.

The playing in of the new Captain, a ceremony that takes place annually at all Golf Clubs, was another feature of the day. Mr. F. E. D'Almada Remedios drove down the first fairway into a crowd of caddies that made it look like a Hyde Park meeting.

The caddie who retrieved the ball deserved his recompense for he took the ball in full flight as it swooped down to the ground. But it was not as amusing as the ceremony last year when the Captain badly topped the ball into the first ditch where his caddie for that day was waiting!

Various competitions were held throughout the day, but the greens were almost as hard as granite, and consequently putting was very difficult. The President, Mr. A. W. Ramsey, tried his hand as last competitor in one of these competitions, and walked off with the prize.

With the greens in that condition, all sorts of fantastic scores were returned for the Hidden Bogey Competition in the morning. But with the baking weather we have had over the past few weeks—though it is November—the Course generally is very fiery.

The greens are in the process of being dug again, though it was only about a month ago they were last done.

KOWLOON Golf Club have accepted the invitation of the Country Club for a match, and this will take place on December 1, at Sheungshiu.

This will, to my knowledge, be the first of such matches, but it is hoped, not the last. It is difficult to see why Golf Clubs seemingly seek seclusion, for, except, perhaps, for the all-day cricket matches, there are few more enjoyable sports functions.

Kowloon and the Happy Valley Club fraternise bi-annually, and there could hardly be happier relations.

However, for the match on December 1, the programme, as intimated last week, will be the singles in the morning and the foursomes in the afternoon. Sides will be of ten players each with two reserves. First pair off will be at 9 a.m.



A. A. Lopez, Champion, at Country Club last year with the prizes he won during the year.—Staff Photographer.

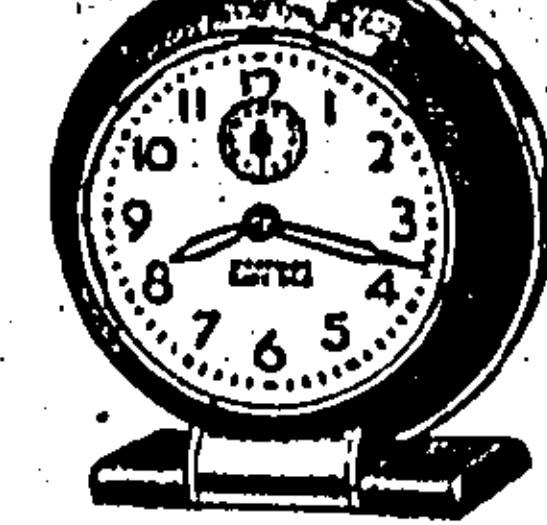
I HEARD a very amusing story concerning a Fanling golfer the other day. He had, it seems, intended entering for the Captain's Cup qualifying competition, but arriving at the Club too early was waiting his turn off the first tee.

His partner came hurriedly into the Clubhouse with the information that a starting time was vacant so this chappie grabbed a card signed the competitions book, and rushed off.

He returned a score that would have qualified easily, but discovered that in his hurry he had signed the wrong page and had thus played in the wrong competition on the wrong Course!

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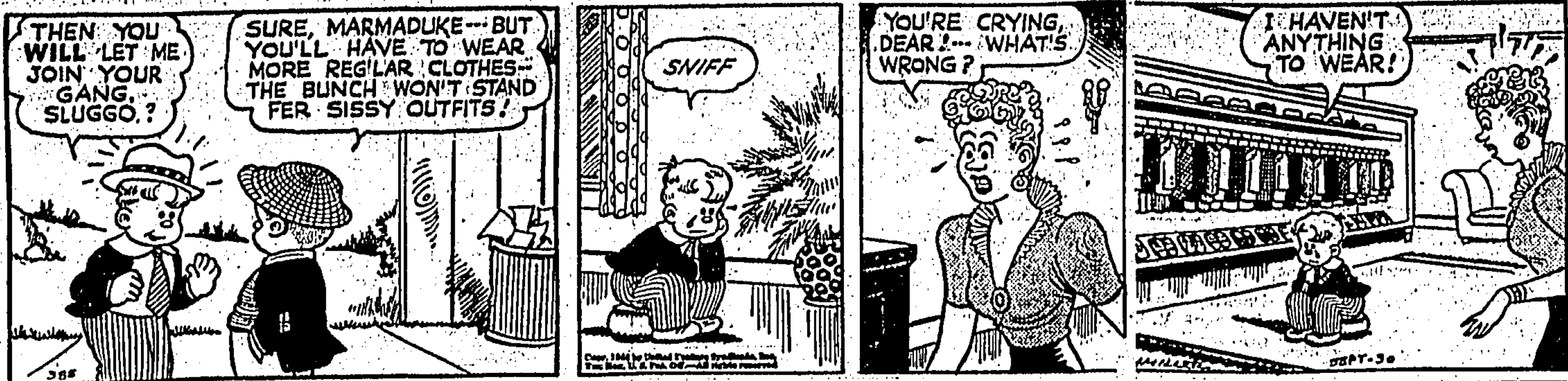
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Chiang Kai-Shek Gives Up A Minor Post

CHUNGKING, Nov. 14 (Central News).—General Chang Chun, Secretary-General of the Supreme National Defence Council, was appointed concurrently Chairman of the Szechwan Provincial Government. The post hitherto had been held concurrently by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

General Ku Cheng-lun, former Garrison Commander of Nanking, was appointed member and concurrently Chairman of the Kansu Provincial Government succeeding General Chu Shao-ling who had resigned. In order to devote himself to military affairs.

Complying with a petition of the National Military Council, General Chang Chun, the new Chairman of Szechwan, was appointed concurrently Director of the Generalissimo's Headquarters at Chengtu. General Hsiao Kuo-kuang, incumbent Secretary.

Aitkenhead Shield Trophy Returned By Hongkong

WITH the second check of the result of the Aitkenhead Shield lawn bowls match giving the shield to Hongkong, the trophy has been returned to the Secretary of the H.K.L.B.A. for a re-award.

The Captain of the Hongkong team, J. Denkin, has also returned his spoon.

K. C. C. Teams For Saturday

The following will represent the K.C.C. teams against Civil Service Cricket Club in friendly cricket matches on Saturday.

1st XI at home: E. C. Fincher (Capt.), N. D. Lloyd, D. J. N. Anderson, E. F. Fincher, A. Zimmermann, F. R. Zimmermann, D. Hung, W. Rapley, B. D. Lay, R. T. Broadbridge and T. A. Mader.

2nd XI at C.S.C.C.: S. A. Gray (Capt.), R. Baldwin, G. A. Goodwin, F. J. Lay, K. M. Baxter, R. J. Fenton, J. R. Luke, R. A. J. Simpson, E. Curtis, H. Brokenshire and L. R. Birch.

British Control Of African Coast

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—From Monday next, all ships to and from Syria, French West Africa, Liberia (negro republic), Portuguese Guinea, Madagascar and Reunion (French islands), will have to have passports from the British Ministry of Economic Warfare.

As in other areas, failure to comply with the regulations means that the master of the ship as well as the owners and charterers may be denied the use of any British control facilities.

line where the former touched down. Redman converted.

SECOND HALF

AFTER the interval, Navy forwards, with fierce forward rushes, kept the ball in the Club half for a while, but neglected to heel when held, robbed them of scoring chances. Back at the other end, a cross-kick by Taylor gave Thompson a clear field and he scored an unconverted try midway out.

The teams were: Club: Peckover, Taylor, Aitkenhead, D. Hynes, Thompson, Morgan, Clemo, Olsen, Burford, Heasman, Moodie, Needham; Redman, Godfrey, Hynes, Navy: Clough, Gracie, Mogerle, Addis, McGill, Wilson, Clark, Palmer, Richards, Stockham, Grange, Rutherford, Taylor, Thornhill, Hughes.

Williamson Crew On Disobedience Charge

Agreement To Arbitrate

Fifty Shanghai Chinese seamen, the crew of the Williamson & Co's steamer Leana, appeared in the Marine Court this morning before Cmdr. J. Jolly, charged with disobeying the order of the master, Capt. E. Jones, by not returning to their ship in Hongkong on November 13.

The defendants were Tar Zan Chang, 29, chief boatswain and 49 others.

Mr. D. H. Blake appeared for the defendants and Mr. W. A. Mackinlay for the agents, Williamson & Co.

Mr. Blake asked for an adjournment as he said he had not seen the charge.

On resumption two hours later, Mr. Blake said that his clients were prepared to sign an agreement for arbitration. He said that defendants claimed rates of pay according to the agreement made on August 19 in New Zealand between Capt. Jones and members of the crew. If agreement could not be reached they agreed to submit it to the Labour Office or any other person appointed by him and to abide by the arbitration's decision.

Cmdr. Jolly: That seems to me fair and reasonable.

The case was adjourned, sine die both parties agreeing to arbitration.

Firm British Action On Status of Tangier

LONDON, Nov. 13 (Reuter).—It was revealed in the House of Commons to-day that the action of the officer commanding Spanish troops in Tangier in taking full charge with the title of government, was undertaken without consultation with any other government interested.

The British Ambassador in Madrid, Sir Samuel Hoare, had been instructed to record a formal protest.

Commenting on this, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, announced that the British Ambassador had been instructed to make clear to the Spanish Government that the British Government attached great importance to the maintenance of the neutrality of the Tangier zone and to the avoidance of any action which might be harmful to British interests.

Mr. Butler added that the Ambassador had already seen the Spanish Minister for Foreign Affairs, Sr. S. Suner.

Asked if the British Government would take every action to see that Tangier remained neutral and unfortified, Mr. Butler said, "Yes. The British Ambassador has stressed the importance we attach to the maintenance of neutrality of the zone."

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Beware of It Spreading

Often the disease travels all over the bottom of the feet. The soles of your feet become red and swollen. The skin also cracks and peels, and the itching becomes worse and worse.

Get rid of this disease as quickly as possible, because it is very contagious and it may go to your hands or even to the under arms or crotch of the body.

Most people who have Athlete's Foot have tried all kinds of remedies to cure it without success. Ordinary ointments, antiseptics, salve or ointment, seldom of any good.

Here's How to Treat It

The germ that causes the disease is known as Trichophyton. It buries itself deep in the tissue of the skin and it takes 15 minutes of boiling to kill the germ, so you can see why the ordinary remedies are unsuccessful.

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Indo-China Relations With Britain & U.S.

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relations between Japan and Indo-China. The Governor-General evaded replying to a question on Indo-China's relations to the tri-Power pact, pointing out that he had not received an accurate and concrete report on the instrument.

Referring to the conclusion of the Halphong agreement on September 22 providing for the entry of Japanese troops into Indo-China, Vice-Admiral Decoux said that this accord was based upon the conversations between the Japanese and French authorities during August. "I have only faithfully executed the policies of my Government," Vice-Admiral Decoux added.

Relations With Britain and U.S.

The problem of the future relations between Indo-China and Britain and America is "extremely delicate," the Governor said.

"Indo-China has been maintaining close and cordial relations with Britain and America until now. I believe that it would be against the interests of France to break off these profitable relations. I intend to follow the policy by which we will be able to remain at peace with England and America provided the European war does not spread to the Far East."

Admiral Decoux admitted that the economic and political relations between France and Chungking have been broken off. He pointed out, however, that France had interests such as railway in Yunnan Province which is geographically contiguous to Tonkin. "I hope that these interests will be restored under our control as soon as possible."

Referring to the question of Chinese emigrants in Indo-China, Admiral Decoux said that he did not see a reason to interfere with their peaceful pursuits. "Unless they participate in political plots, I don't think we need to change our policy towards them," Admiral Decoux remarked.

In view of the interruption of sea traffic between Indo-China and France, it is necessary to establish wide and profound economic relations with various nations in the Far East, particularly Japan, the Governor-General said.

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were grounded there. One Italian plane was shot down.

The Italians bombed Argostolion on the island of Kephallonia, opposite Patras, as well as the island of Levkas and several villages in Thessalonika and two villages in Morea where a few were killed and wounded. Damage was slight.

In the Pinus mountains, the Greeks continue to advance. Four hundred Italian prisoners were unloaded at Athens from trucks. The Greek volunteers from Egypt total one division.

British Air Force in Greece

SPECIAL TO THE TELEGRAPH—ATHENS, Nov. 14 (UP)—The headquarters of the British air force in Greece announced to-day that long range bombers had successfully attacked Bari on the night of November 13, and at the same time Durazzo and Valona were bombed again.

The announcement said, "Long range planes which attacked Bari, directly hit a large refinery building. All the bombs fell squarely on the

Inquest On Chinese Shot Dead By Sentry

An inquiry was held at the Central Magistracy this morning into the death of a 19-year-old Chinese, Lau Chun-wan, who was shot dead by a Kumaon Rifleman in Victoria Barracks early on the morning of October 18.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K.C., sat as Coroner and was assisted by a Jury comprising Messrs. T. Lock (foreman), G. H. V. Ribeiro and H. I. Tam.

Detective Sub-Inspector W. N. Darkin, assisted by Det. Sergeant V. M. Morrison, were present for the Police.

Opening the inquest, Mr. Sheldon said that about 1 a.m. on October 18, Rifleman Nain Singh, of the 1st Kumaon Rifles, was on guard duty at the New Magazine near Command Headquarters. The guard went on duty with a loaded rifle, and his patrol took over from the Magazine to the cook-house opposite the guard-room.

Rfm. Nain Singh had reached a spot near the cook-house when he saw a man dressed in dark clothing coming from the cook-house. The man was seen to be clutching something in his hand. He was about 60 feet away from the sentry, who called upon him in English to halt. The man glanced round over his shoulder but far from halting, he commenced running and in fact ran some distance down the path.

Twice Challenged
Nain Singh challenged him twice more, but as the man continued running, he opened fire with one shot. The man did not stop and Nain Singh then opened rapid fire. Three more shots were fired and on the third shot, the man fell to the ground and was picked up dead. All four shots had struck the deceased in the back and three of the wounds were each fatal in themselves.

The Police had made investigations into the matter, continued the Coroner, and had found that the deceased had a criminal record and had been convicted of larceny some short time ago. Clutched in the man's hand were some chap-paties, which had obviously been stolen from the cook-house.

Four Wounds
Dr. J. H. M. Chan said he carried out a post-mortem on the body later the same morning and found the cause of death to be due to gunshot wounds. There were three wounds in the back, two on the left side of the midline and one on the right. Each of these wounds were fatal in themselves. The fourth wound was on the middle finger of the man's left hand.

Rfm. Nain Singh gave evidence concerning the Coroner's outline. Asked regarding his orders when he went on duty, he said that his orders were, if he saw any stranger, to challenge three times and if no answer was given and the stranger did not stop, to open fire. This would be done if he was unable to stop the person in any other way. The jury returned a verdict of justifiable homicide.

French Fleet On Way To Orient?

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lands East Indies, the Foreign Office announced the creation of a Bureau of South Seas Affairs.

Part of the reason for the step is stated to be the conclusion of a treaty of amity between Japan and Thailand as well as the dispatch of Japanese missions to the Netherlands East Indies and Indo-China.

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He urged the United States Government to clarify its policy in the Far East after which, he said, the American business world would follow. Also he expressed the opinion that the welfare of Singapore and the Dutch East Indies are the direct concern of the United States.

Word Of Bargain
Regarding the tripartite pact Mr. Lantini said: "Japan, in fact, got the worst of the bargain with Germany, so it is high time Japan had regard for her diminishing financial strength."

Before the country's economy meets disaster, she should turn back from the inevitable road to ruin. Japan must abandon once and for all in the Far East the Nazi theory of racial superiority and the idea of "Asia's New Order". Japan must realise that China is bound to become and remain free and independent; that she has a great destiny before her and that she desires friendship not enmity with her aggressive neighbour.

He concluded by saying it is his desire to see co-operation between the United States and Japan founded in friendship and advised a cautious policy which should not be misinterpreted as appeasement.

"I am sure," he said, "that China is 'invariably determined' to drive Japan from China, for which reason China deserves more material aid."

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